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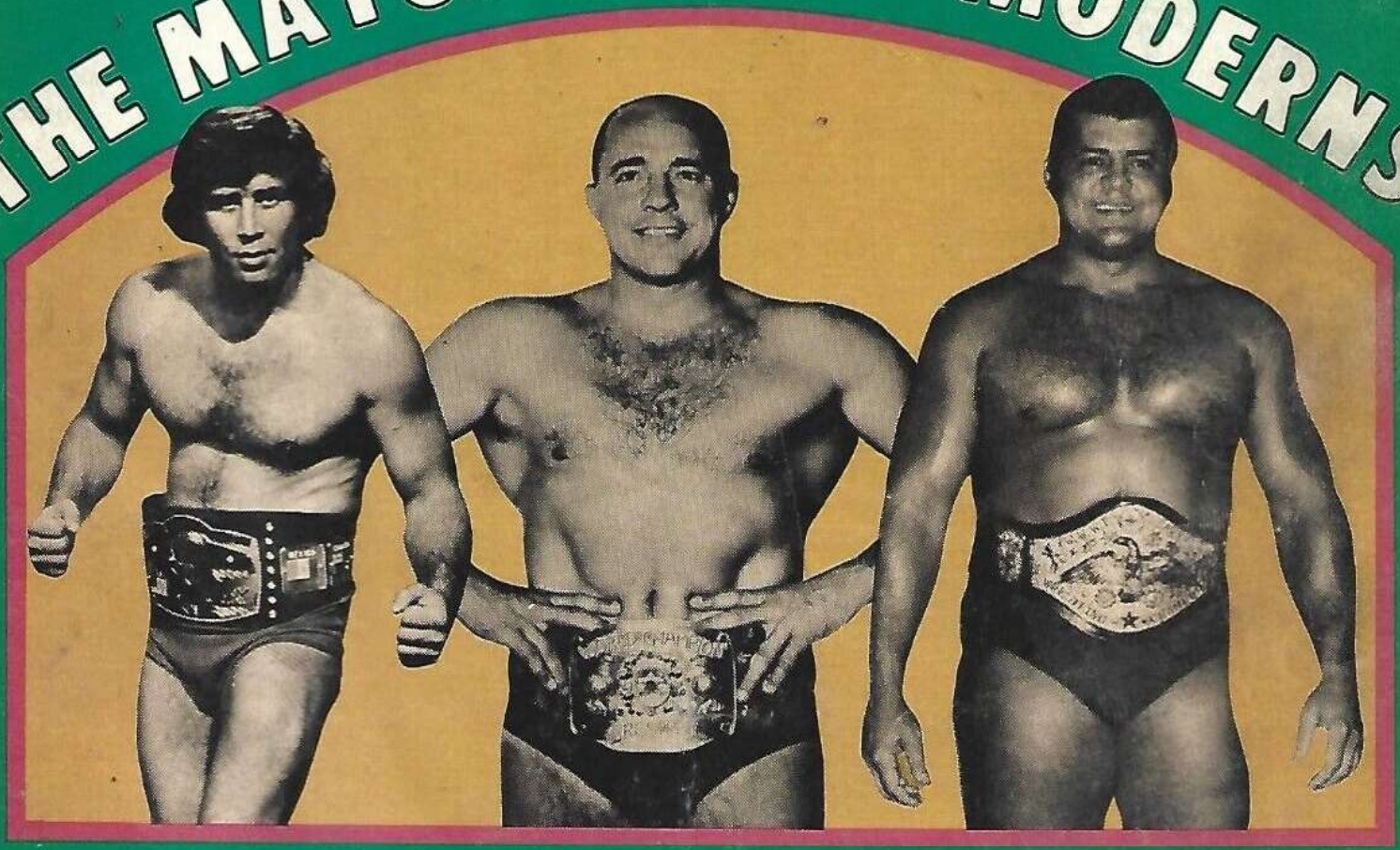

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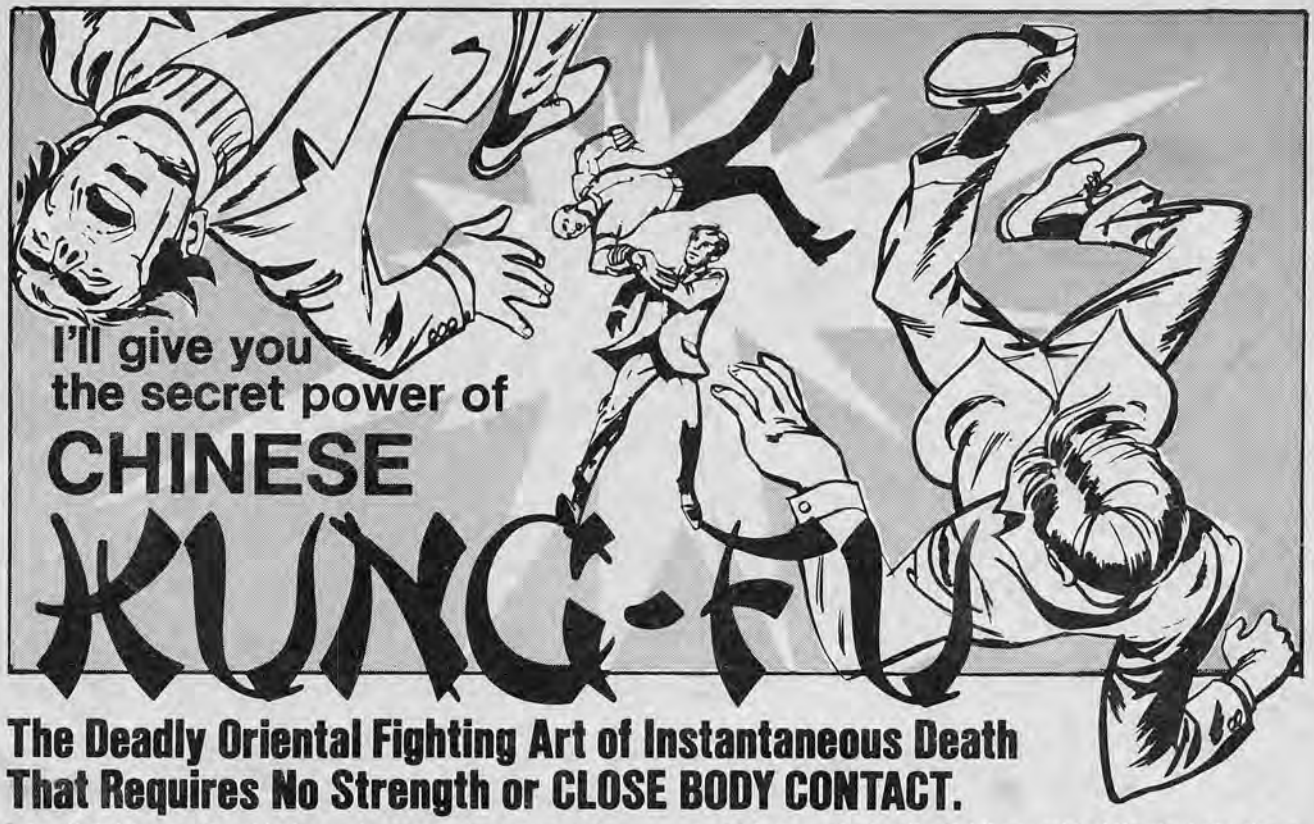

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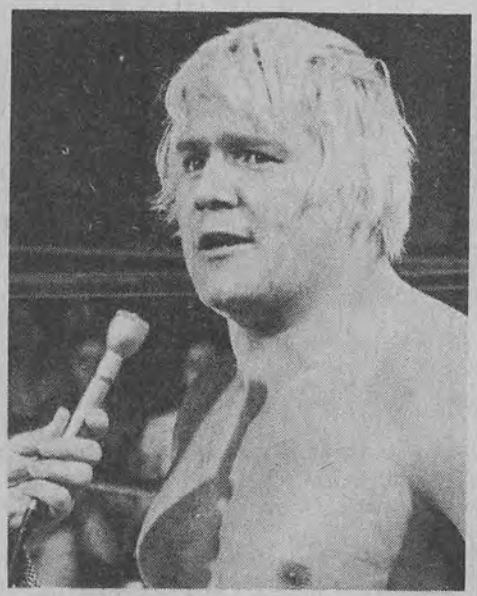

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editorial

.... and we hope you like it!

Hopefully you have noticed it but in recent months WRESTLING REVUE has made a transition in its' content whereby we are taking a new and fresh approach to coverage of the mat action throughout the world.

No longer will there be a concentration of routine action pictures or the gory shots of wrestlers drenched in blood, the layouts of zany gimmicks such as cage matches or six man tag team tussles.

We are not voting thumbs down on such coverage per se but we have alerted our correspondents throughout the world to keep a watchful eye for human interest stories about wrestlers, their families and the sport itself.

It is the intention of WRESTLING REVUE to present wrestlers as human beings rather than sticking strictly to the ballyhoo about their bulging muscles and snarling, surly manner.

We feel there is more to reporting of the sport than talking about the various techniques used in the ring by the heros and the villains.

You may note in this issue we are presenting our consensus of the 10 greatest wrestlers of all time and there are off beat features on The Mephisto, Pedro Morales and Tony Marino.

Perhaps more important WRESTLING REVUE now begins a campaign for The Match of The Moderns which we hope will reach fruition.

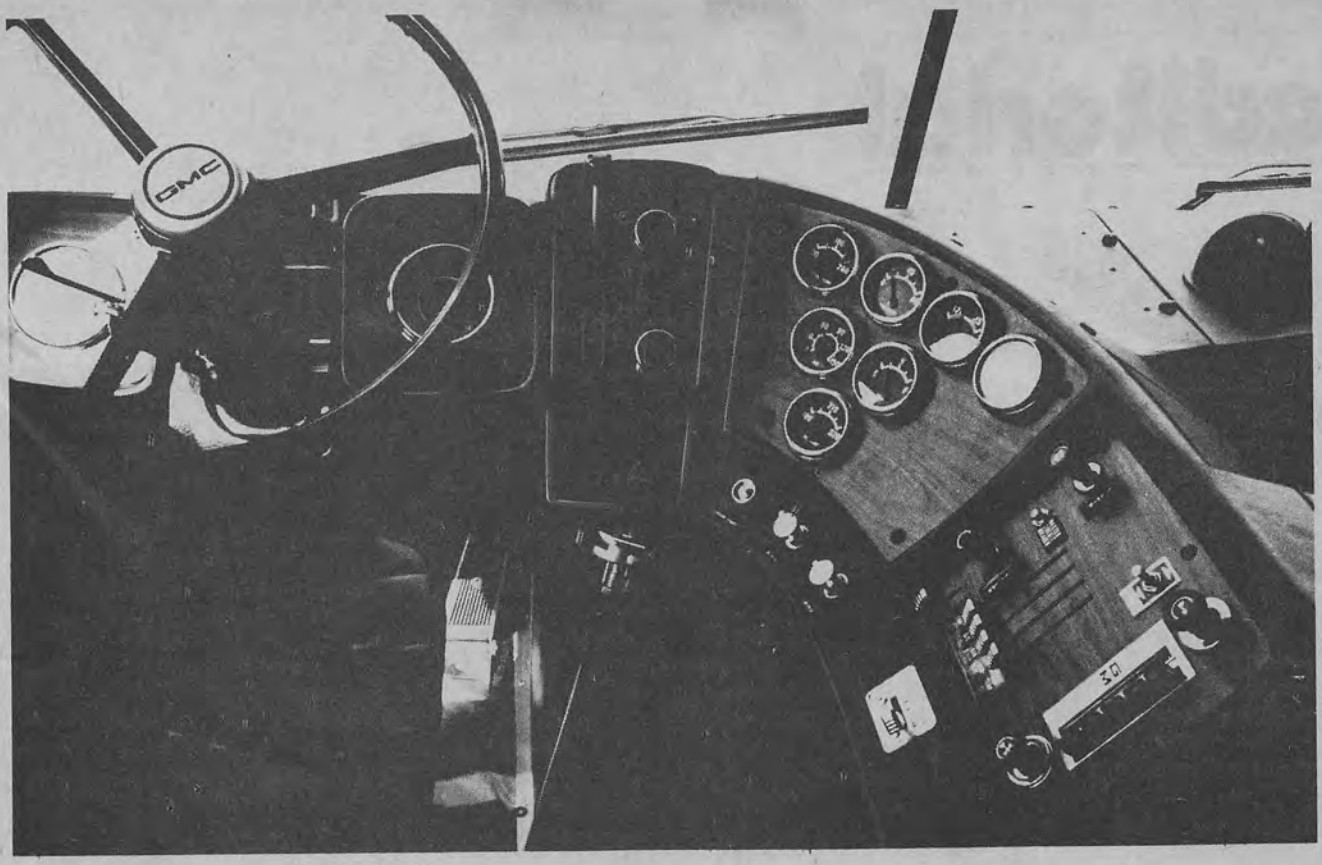
The format of our brainchild is to determine one undisputed world's heavyweight champion among the National Wrestling Alliance, the Wide World Wrestling Federation and the American Wrestling Alliance.

The contenders for universal recognition as the one and only champion are premier performers — Jack Brisco, Verne Gagne and Pedro Morales.

We aren't alone in our contention that professional wrestling should have one undisputed ruler. In the last six months we have received letters from all corners of the globe with complaints, opinions and suggestions on how the situation could be resolved, eliminating the current plight of tri-champions.

Wrestling need only look to boxing which is having more than its' share of grief with dual champions in some divisions.

Our editors will welcome any comment you may have on restyling our editorial content and particularly on The Match of The Moderns. In fact if the response is as strong as we anticipate, we will forward your thoughts to the three governing associations and let them know how the public feels about determining one man and one man alone to reign with a championship gold belt.



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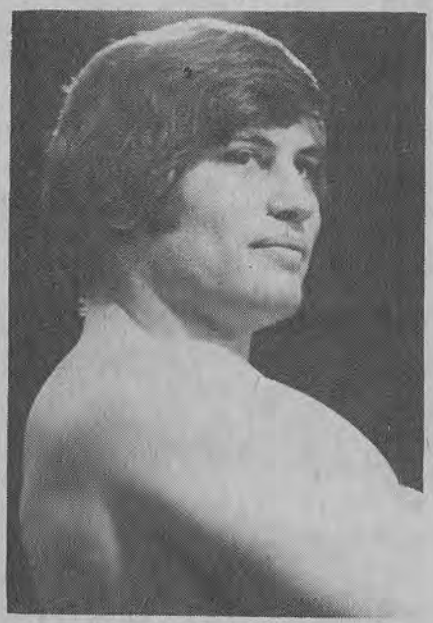


Jim Brunzell

PINUP GRAPPLERS WOW!

Dear Sirs:

Your idea of wrestling pinups is terrific. The men have always had Playboy and other assorted magazines but now we girls have something to swoon over.

Keep those pinups coming. Please!

Shirley Stockridge
Evansville, Indiana

Dear Sir:

Jim Brunzell seems to be a new name in wrestling but he makes a perfect pinup for your new feature which I enjoy very much.

Can you give me some data on Jim? Has he ever wrestled in Texas?

Linda Wilkins,
El Paso, Tex.

Editor's Note — You'll find Brunzell was featured in a story in the June issue of Wrestling Monthly. He has been campaigning principally on the American Wrestling Alliance circuit in the northern United States. Jim played football and ran track at the University of Minnesota and turned down several pro football offers to concentrate on the mat. Verne Gagne tutored Burnzell and believes he will be a super star.

SPECIAL NOMINATION

Dear Sir:

Here is my nomination for one of the most disgusting wrestlers in the business — Pretty Boy Heenan. I don't know why your magazine or any other would waste the space on such a buffoon.

If he met some of the top wrestlers in the world — men like Sammartino, Valentine, The Bruiser, Brisco and Gagne among others — they'd have to carry him out of the ring on a stretcher.

If there was ever a no talent idiot masquerading as a wrestler — it's Pretty Boy Heenan. Pretty stypid, I'd say.

Elliott Roxmore,
Baltimore, Md.

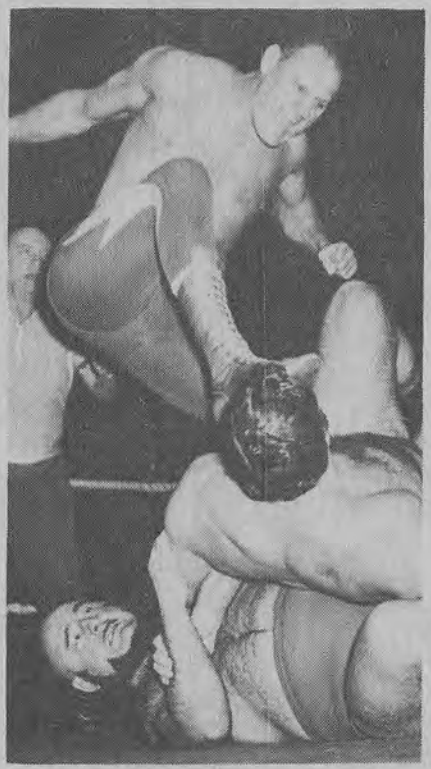
KOWALSKI & VACHON GOOD COMBINATION

Dear Sirs:

Two of my favorite wrestlers are Maurice "Mad Dog" Vachon and Killer Kowalski. I try to see them wrestle whenever possible. If they'd meet in the near future who do you think would win?

Peter J. Hoskins,
Toledo, O.

Editor's Note — They would be well matched. Last July in Montreal's Jarry Parc 30,000 people turned out to see Vachon beat Kowalski in the best two out of three falls. Both have beaten each other and we're sure they will meet again.



Vachon, Knowalski as temmates

Kowalski dives for Yunkon Eric

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Hope your editors can meet this request?

James Rupert,
Boise, Idaho

GIMMICK?

Dear Sir:

Did the late Yukon Eric really lose an ear in a match with Killer Kowalski? Was the story just a gimmick to build Kowalski as a villain?

Tommy Joyce,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Editor's Note — In case you missed the September issue of WRESTLING REVUE there is a story on "How Yukon Eric Lost An Ear" plus a picture showing Kowalski in mid-air a split second before he took off Eric's ear with a knee drop. No, it wasn't a gimmick — just one of those unfortunate accidents that sometimes happen to wrestlers in the ring.

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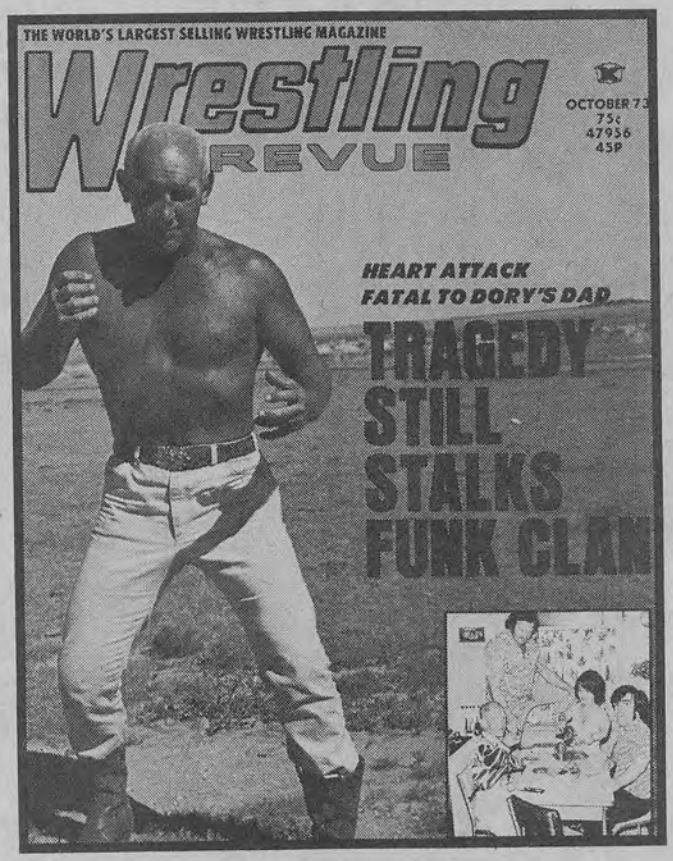

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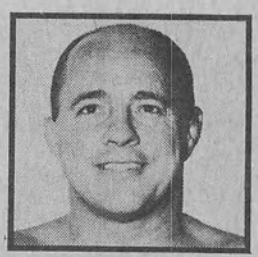

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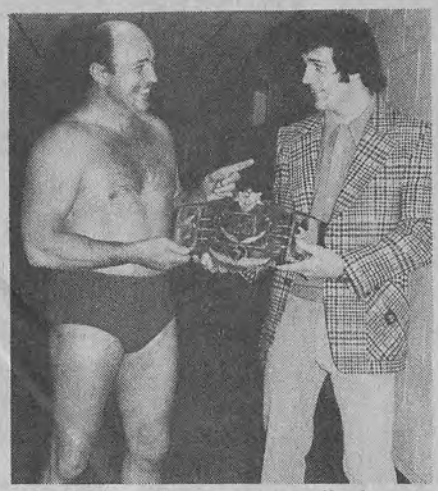
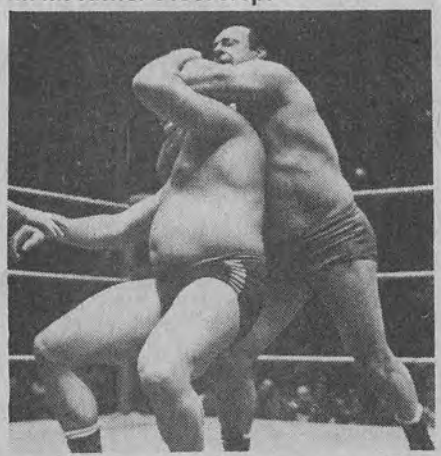
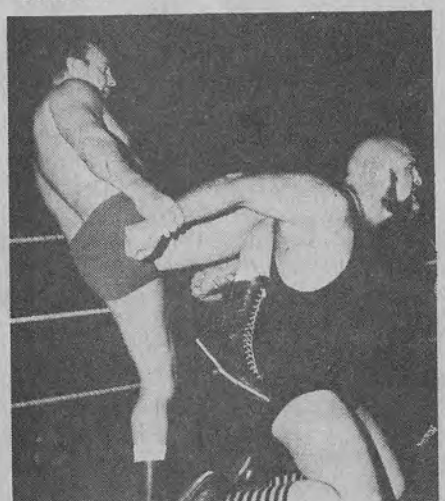


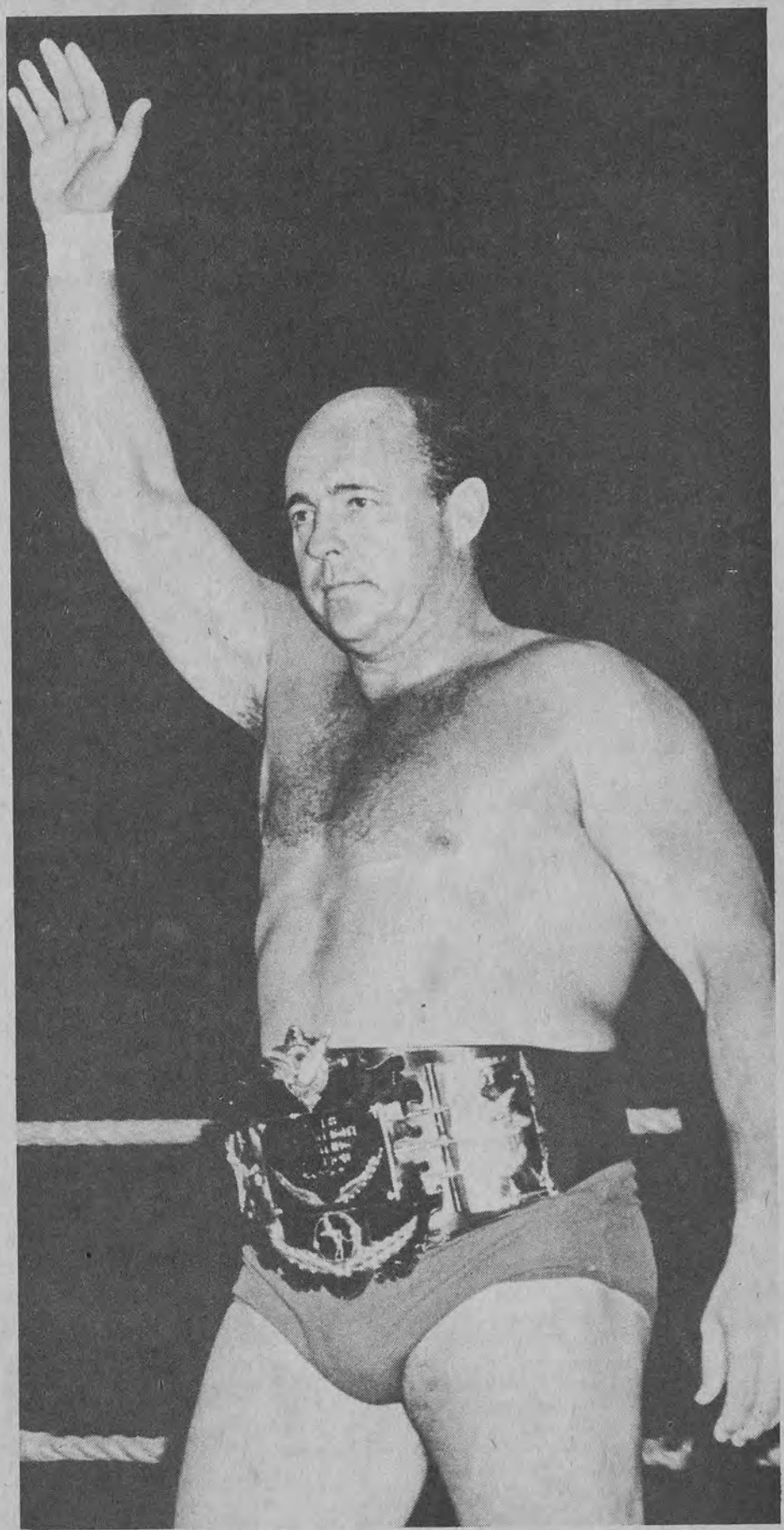
Like father, like son — well almost. Verne Gagne, world's heavyweight champion, American Wrestling Alliance version, displays his championship belt to his son, Greg, who appears to be successfully following in his father's foot step.



Gagne, one of the most powerful men in wrestling, applies his famed sleeper hold to an opponent who has no recourse to thwart the assault.



Gagne puts the pressure on Mad Dog Vachon and the French-Canadian does not recover with Verne winning the match in straight falls.



Gagne stands supreme as the conquering hero while wearing his championship belt.

One Champion Would Be a Great Bonanza For the Mat Sport

Will there ever be one international world's heavyweight wrestling champion?

As for as the National Wrestling Alliance is concerned there is only one kingpin — Jack Brisco and the history of the gold belt he wears goes back to Frank Gotch, the first internationally recognized champion in 1905.

However, it is easy to undersand why mat fans the world over might be somewhat confused. In addition to the NWA, there are two other associations with reigning "champions."

The World Wide Wrestling Association Federation lists Pedro Morales as its' champion and Verne Gagne is top man with the American Wrestling Alliance.

While the NWA is considered the most affluent of all governing wrestling groups, many of our readers are using WRESTLING REVUE as a sounding board to forge a showdown among the above named champions.

The most logical way to make it one champion only is to have Morales meet Gagne with the winner going against Brisco as the challenger for his belt and title.

Sam Muchnick, veteran president of the National Wrestling Alliance in St. Louis, has no objections to having Brisco risk his belt against the Morales-Gagne survivor but there are many obstacles blocking such a dhowdown at the moment.

"One of the problems is timing. We are getting calls from all over the world for Brisco's services. Right now we have bookings through January but if Morales and Gagne decided they wanted to meet, we'd find time for the winner to meet Brisco," Muchnick explained.

The mat executive also reminded that the W.W.W.F. is actually a subsidary of the N.W.A., operating principally throughout the eastern United States.

"We agreed to let them have their champion as long as they don't advertise him as 'world's champion' Morales is one of the greatest wrestlers in the world today and wears the W.W.W.F. belt with dignity but Brisco still is the only true world champion."

The W.W.W.F. circuit is a rugged one. In addition to Morales, the challengers include such stars as Bruno Sammartino, Prince Curtis Iaueka, Toru Tanaka, Fred Blassie, Stan Stasiak, Gorilla Monsoon, Rene Goulet, Karl Gotch and Jim Valiant among others.

Willie Gilzenberg, long time boxing-wrestling impressario, serves as president of the W.W.W.F. and has always been a progressive man who could see the tremendous box office appeal of Brisco, Morales and Gagne settling the issue once and for all.

Muchnick has nothing but the highest respect for Gagne, former All-American end at Minnesota and Big Ten wrestling champion.

"Verne is a good friend of mine and one of the greatest wrestlers of modern times even though he has never won the NWA belt. Gagne went out on his own and formed the A.W.A. with headquarters in Minneapolis and Chicago. If he wanted to compete with Morales for a shot at Brisco, he would be more than welcome but I doubt if he would."

The 42-year old Gagne reigns popularly in the A.Wa.A. territory which includes Illinois, Minnesota, Colorado, the Dakotas, central Canada, Hawaii and sections of Japan.

Gagne is highly enthusiastic over such a proposed showdown which would appropriately be billed as The Match of the Moderns.

"This would be a great thing and we could have it on a yearly basis. In a way football with its' Super Bowl and baseball with it's divisional play has taken a leaf from wrestling's book and the interest has never been higher."

Once the ground rules are designed, WRESTLING REVUE suggests that the matches be held in major cities of the three respective organizations.

"There is no limit to the possibilities of such a series. The publicity and promotion would be tremendous for wrestling. Maybe it could even reach the proportions of a closed-circuit TV kookup," Gagne suggested.

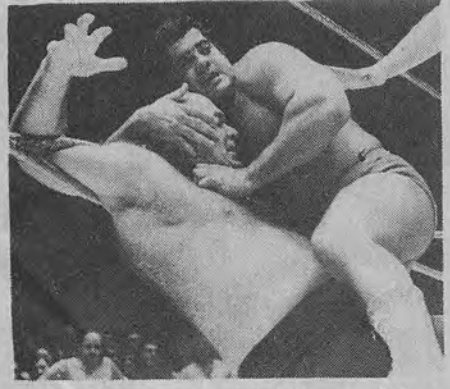
Gagne's circuit includes a worthy list of grapplers such as Baron Von Raschke, Bruiser, Kobayashi, Billy Robinson, The Crusher, Red Bastien, Blackjack Lanza, Sailor Art Thomas and Black Mulligan.

Right now the top attraction under the NWA banner will be the match which brings together ex-champion Dory Funk, Jr. and Brisco.

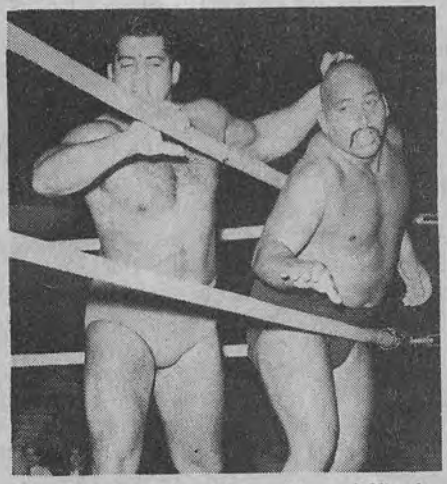
Funk was upset by Harley Race last May and Race lost the belt to Brisco July 20 in Houston — the same night Muchnick officially presented it to him.

Public opinions sometimes can move mountains and maybe that is what it will take to finalize

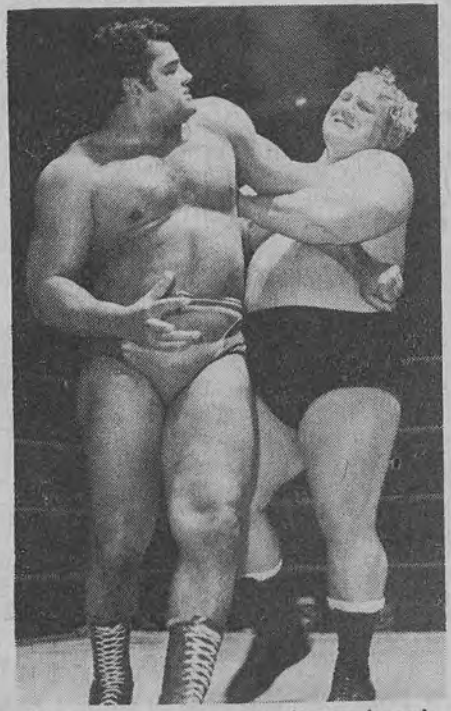
Three Giants are Equally Matched In Classic Bout



Pedro Morales considered one of the finest wrestlers in the world, appears to have Tony Steele on the verge of submission as he applies the choker hold.



Morales has the Mongol is a difficult position as he grabs his pony tail prior to throwing him to the mat for a winning pin.



Morales appears ready to break away from Bulldog Brower in this recent match in New York.

Announcer Jimmy Lennon raises the arm of Pedro Morales in Los Angeles after the powerful Cuban defeated The Destroyer for the world's heavyweight championship, taking the crown from the Destroyer.

such a classic confrontation — the Match of the Moderns.

Boxing had its' long-awaited meeting of Muhammad Ali and Joe Frazier in what was truly the Battle of the Century.

And from wrestling's position in the world of sports, we are confident in the months ahead whatever existing differences will be resolved and the Match of the Moderns will be made.

After all, Brisco, Morales and Gagne are the most logical men for the Match of the Moderns and such a proposed encounter quickly captures the imagination of the entire mat world thus giving further impetus to an already booming sport. . .

Jack Brisco, currently the National Wrestling Alliance champion, is seen here on the left with his fast rising young brother, Terry.

N.W.A. TITLE TURNOVERS

The history of the title:

1905—Frank Gotch defeated George Hackenschmidt.

1906—Fred Beel defeated Gotch.

1906—Gotch defeated Beel.

1913—Gotch retired as world heavyweight champion

1914—Charley Cutler defeated Henry Ordeman and Jesse Westegard in a tournament to fill the vacant title.

1915—Joe Stecher defeated Cutler.

1917—Earl Caddock defeated Stecher.

1920—Stecher defeated Caddock

1921—Ed (Strangler) Lewis defeated Stecher.

1922—Stanislaus Zbyszco defeated Lewis.

1922—Lewis defeated Zbyszco

1925—Zbysco defeated Munn.

1925— Stecher defeated Zbysco in a match at the old Federal League field in St. Louis, Missouri.

1928 — Lewis defeated Stecher at the Coliseum in St. Louis, Missouri.

1929—Gus Sonnenberg defeated Lewis in Boston, Massachusetts.

1931—Ed Don George defeated Sonnenberg in Boston, Massachusetts.

1931—Lewis defeated George in Los Angeles, California.

1931—Henry DeGlane defeated Lewis in Montreal, Canada.

1931—George defeated DeGlane in Boston, Massachusetts.

In the meantime, however, Dick Shikat had defeated Jim Londos in Pennsylvania in a 1929 bout and had claimed the title.

1930— Londos defeated Shikat in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Then, in 1932, Lewis pinned Shikat in a match billed as the "world championship" in New York, New York.

1933—Jim Browning defeated Lewis in New York, New York.

1934—Londos defeated Browning in New York, New York.

1935 (Jule 27) — Danno O.Mahoney defeated Londos in Boston, Massachusetts.

1935 (June 30) — O'Mahoney defeated George in Boston, Massachusetts. The latter had been claiming the title since his 1931 defeat of DeGlane. By his victories, O'Mahoney became the undisputed world champion.

1936—Shikat defeated O'Mahoney in New York, New York.

1936—Ali Baba defeated Shikat in Detroit, Michigan.

1936—Ali Baba was disqualified in a New Jersey bout against Dave Levin, but the state athletic commission reversed the decision and permitted Ali Baba to keep the title.

1936 (June 26) — Everett Marshall defeated Ali Baba in Columbus, Ohio.

1937 (Dec. 29) — Lou Thesz defeated Marshall in St. Louis, Missouri.

1938 (September) — The National Wrestling Association, at its convention in Montreal, recognized Marshall as the champion for two reasons: Casey, the erstwhile champ, was out of the country, and Marshall had been disqualified in his bout with Casey because Casey had been thrown out of the ring. The decision was reversed because as Marshall's manager, Billy Sandow, pointed out, "the action was not deliberate."

1939 (Feb. 23) — Thesz defeated Marshall in St. Louis, Missouri.

1939 (June 23) — Bronko Nagurski defeated Thesz in Houston, Texas.

1940 (March 7) — Ray Steele defeated Nagurski in St. Louis, Missouri.

1941 (March 11) — Nagurski defeated Steele in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

1941 (June 5) — Sandor Szabo defeated Nagurski in St. Louis, Missouri.

1942 (Feb. 19) — Bill Longson defeated Szabo in St. Louis, Missouri.

1942 (Oct. 7) — Yvon Robert defeated Longson in Montreal, Canada.

1942 (Nov. 27) — Bobby Managoff defeated Robert in Houston, Texas.

1943 (Feb. 19) — Longson defeated Managoff in St. Louis, Missouri.

1947 (Feb. 21) — Whipper Billy Watson defeated Longson in St. Louis, Missouri.

1948 (July 20) — Thesz defeated Longson in Indianapolis, Indiana.

1949—The National Wrestling Alliance at its St. Louis convention, recognized Thesz as its, world champion. Orville Brown, who had been recognized by the NWA since its organization in July, 1948, relinquished his claim because he was forced to retire from the ring due to injuries received in an automobile accident. He had been matched with Thesz in a title bout.

1956 (Mar. 15) — Watson defeated Thesz in Toronto, Canada.

1956 (Nov. 9) — Thesz defeated Watson in St. Louis, Missouri.

1957 (Nov. 14) — Dick Hutton defeated Thesz in Toronto, Canada.

1959 (Jan. 9) — Pat O'Connor defeated Hutton in St. Louis, Missouri.

1961 (June 30) — Buddy Rogers defeated O'Connor in Chicago, Illinois.

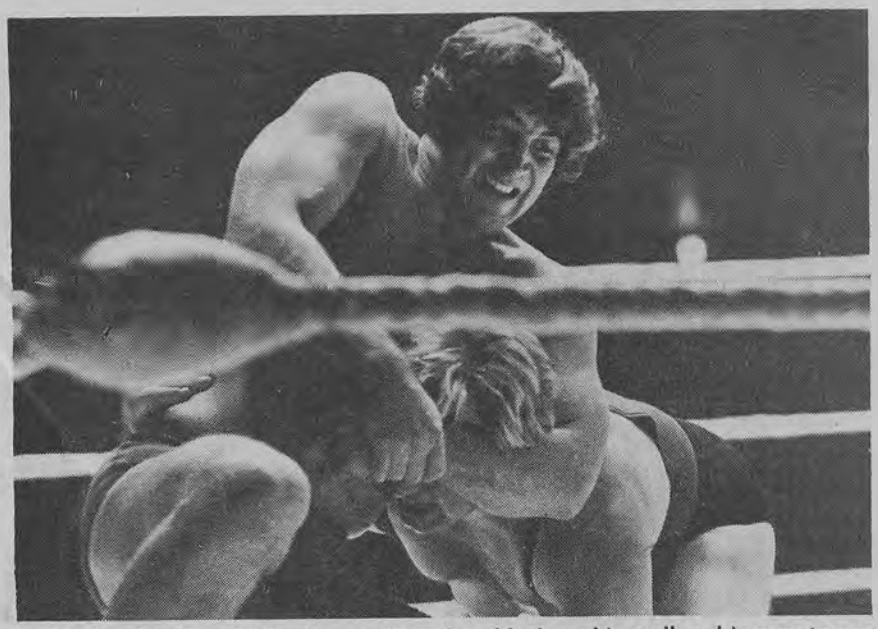
1963 (Jan. 24) — Thesz defeated Rogers in Toronto, Canada.

1966 (Jan. 7) — Gene Kiniski defeated Thesz in St. Louis, Missouri.

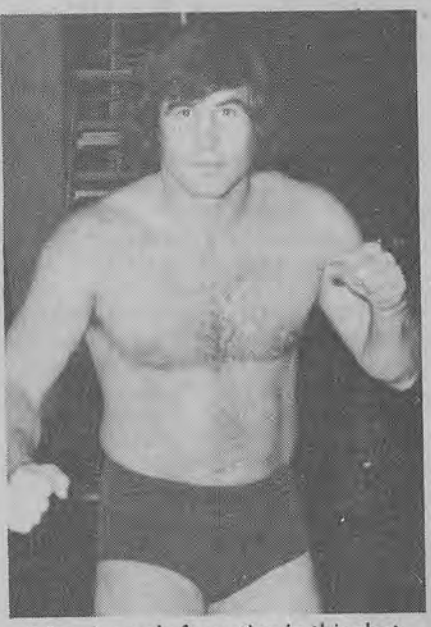
1969 (Feb. 11) — Dory Funk, Jr., defeated Kiniski in Tampa, Florida.

1973 (May 24) — Harley Race beat Funk in Kansas City, Kansas.

1973 (July 29) — Jack Brisco beat Harley Race in Houston, Texas.



Jack Brisco has Dan Miller trapped in a head lock and is well on his way to another thrilling victory.



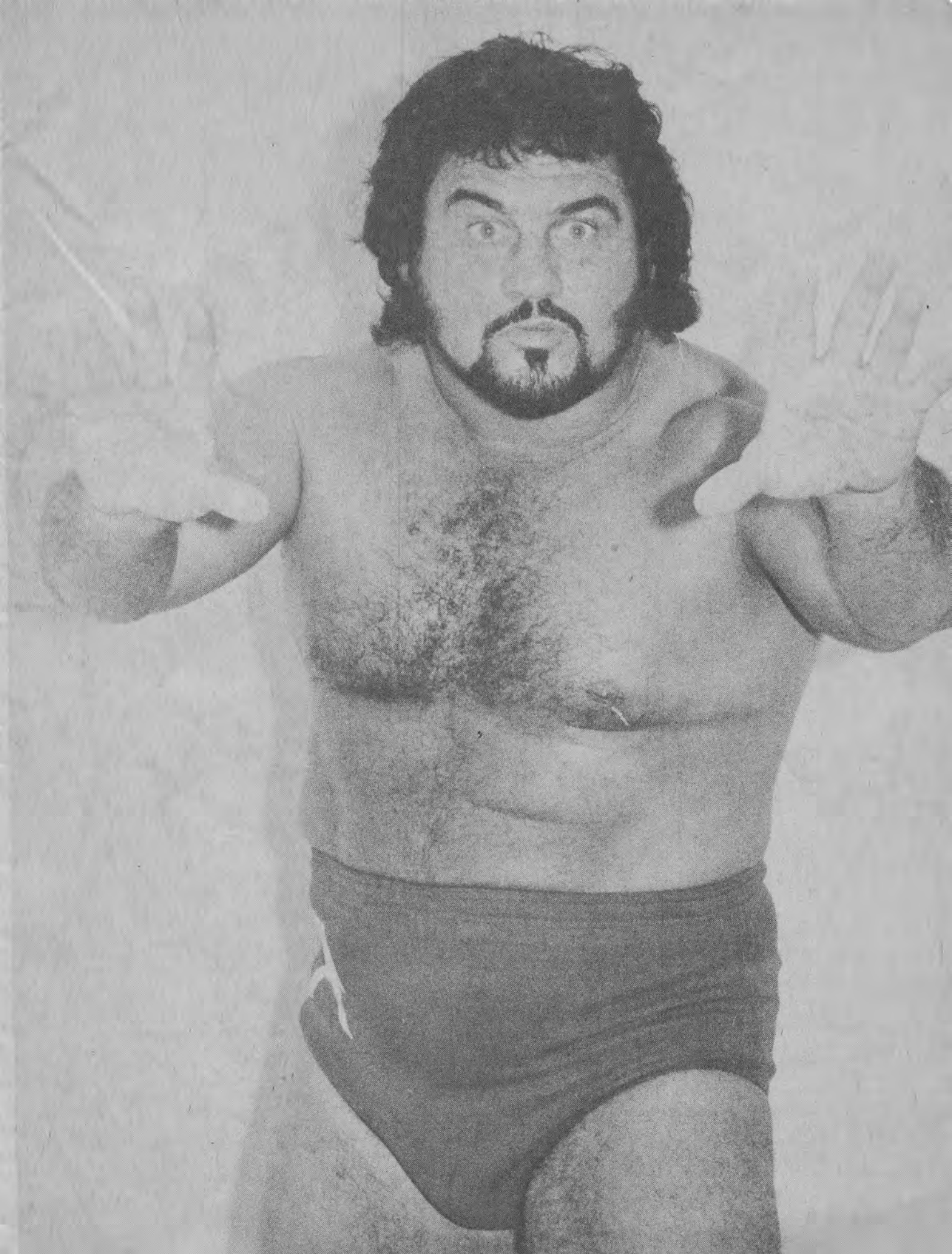
Brisco is ready for action in this shot.

Brisco is wrestling's answer to Engelbert Humperdinck and could pass as a look alike for the English singer.

GREAT MEPHISTO

MESMERIZING MENACE USES TRANCE TACTICS

by Allan Bolte



The Great Mephisto lives like a king outside of the ring and relaxes on his patio as his devoted slave girl, Shalina, pours him a glass of champagne.

Mephisto's Meanness Makes Him Slap Slave Girl Shalina

It was warm in the arena under the ring lights at ringside as announcer Ken Emery introduced the winner of the match. Both the winner and loser walked back to their dressing rooms and it now was time for the next match.

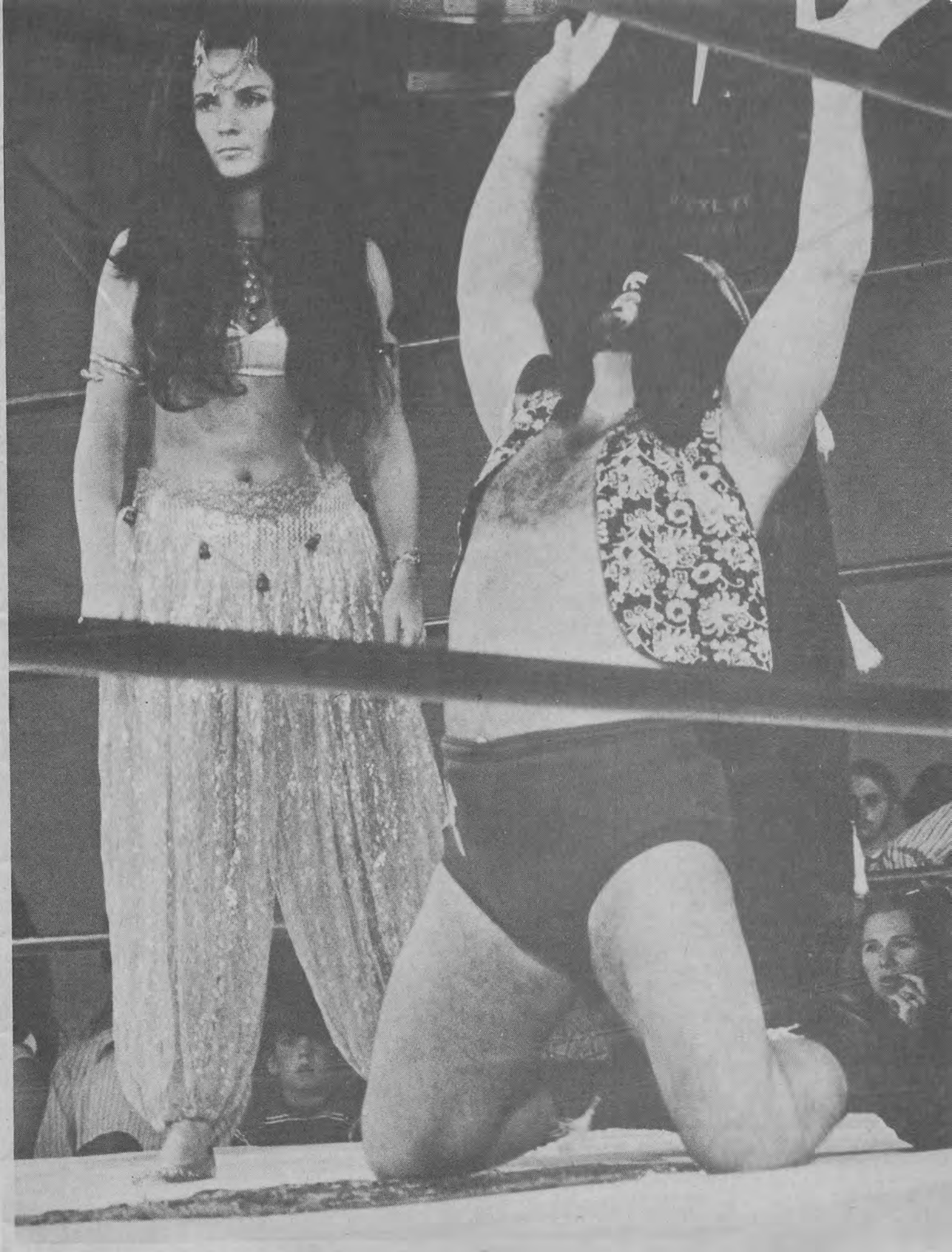
This was the one fans anxiously were waiting for. The Great Mephisto, the wild man of the ring, was to face popular Ron Pritchard, a topnotch wrestler who excells in football as well. The crowd cheered as the handsome young star entered the ring but the cheers soon turned to jeers as Mephisto strolled down the aisle accompanied by his lovely servant girl, Shalina, and clambered through the ropes and into the ring.

The announcer introduced Pritchard and Mephisto and before the bell had sounded to begin the match Mephisto charged after young Pritchard and threw him out of the ring. He slapped Shalina, who quickly left the ring, and then proceeded to slam Pritchard's head onto the press table. The bell rang and Mephisto was up to his normal habit of breaking every rule that happened to get in his way.

Pritchard finally regained air senses and re-entered the ring, this time throwing a shoulder tackle at his rough challenger, knocking him back into the ring and thus gaining enough time to begin working him over. Pritchard tore into him, throwing him across the ring and virtually using everything but a gun on him as he worked the man over.

Action resumed and the fans began heckling Mephisto and evidently that did it. He kicked Pritchard in the midsection and slammed his head into the corner post. Mephisto then began biting Pritchard on the face, bringing forth the gore. The referee finally warned Mephisto that he would be disqualified immediately he failed to break the dirty holds but he paid little attention to the arbiter. Rather, he kicked and hit Pritchard even more and while the referee checked Pritchard's

Leaving nothing to chance, Mephisto asks Allah's blessing before an important match while slave girl, Shalina, looks on pensively. ▶



Getting ready to depart for the arena, The Great Mephisto gives some last minute instructions to Shalina and his chauffeur whose name is as mystifying as some of the wrestler's ring tactics.

Great One Insists Nothing In Boot But Powerful Foot

head cut, Mephisto slipped something in his boot and kicked Pritchard on the head.

That was all it took. With a simple body press, Prtichard was pinned and through for the night. The fans scraemed in horror for the referee to check Mephisto's boot for any object which may have been inside it but the latter ran back to the dressing room before the ref even had a chance.

As a result, Pritchard was carried from the ring on a stretcher and was in pretty bad shape. Yet it was nothing new for Mephisto; simply another win and another injured opponent.

What are Mephisto's comments towards the fact many who closely follow wrestling believe he inserts an object in his boot before kicking his foe into never-never land?

"I've told you before and I still insist that I never have and never will insert anything in my boots," he insisted. "I don't have to do anything like this to win. Maybe other wrestkers do, but I certainly don't. Let me get that straight with you people right now.

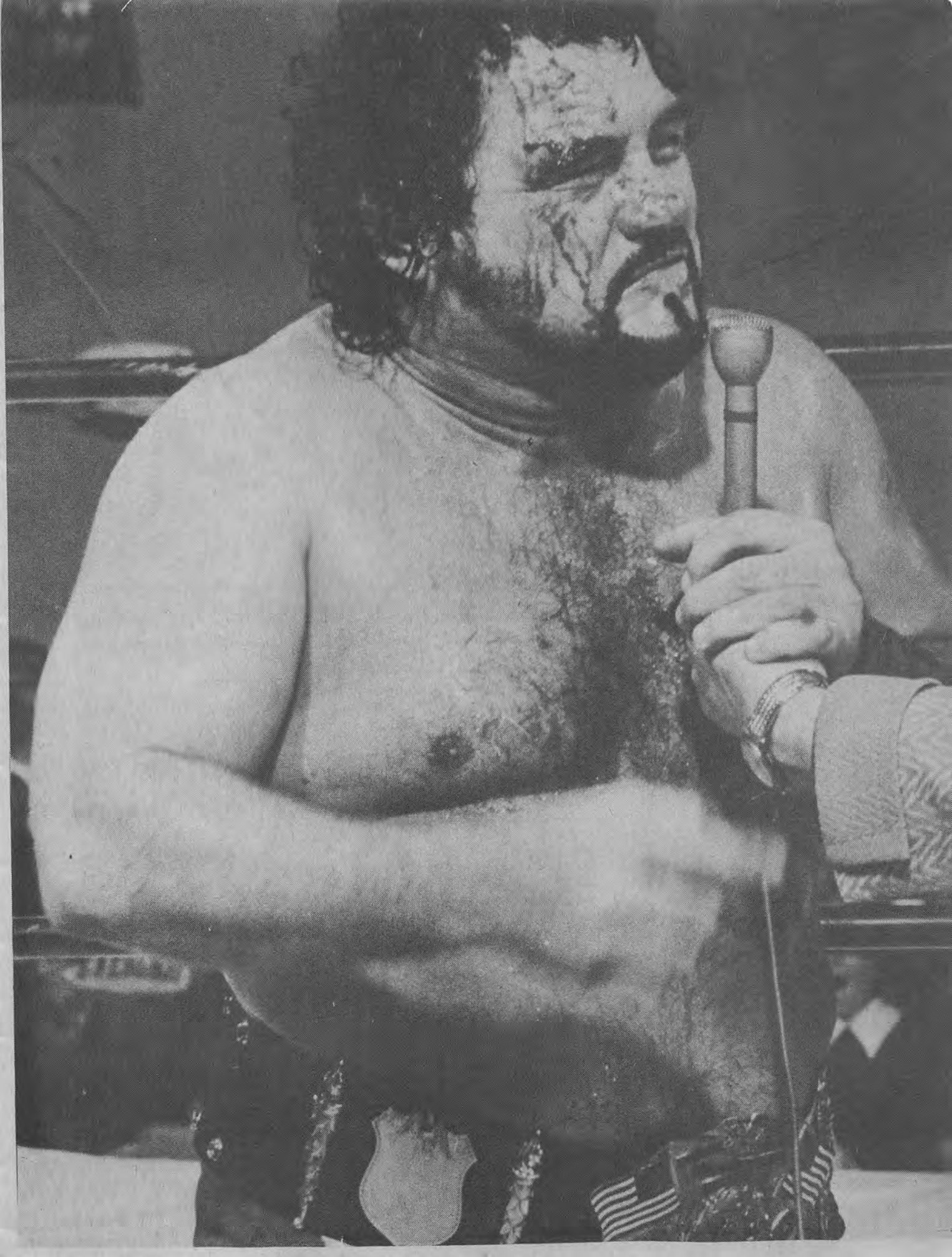
"I was the United States Heavyweight Wrestling Champion for a while and that proved my greatness as a wrestler. There really is no wrestler capable of defeating me. Fans have been saying that the reason I kick my boot against the mat is so that I can properly place this 'object' in the toe of the boot to use it to it's fullest effect. This is definitely a lie. I am doing this because one of my legs is shorter than the other and often my shorter leg begins hurting me and doing this helps relieve the pain. You have no proof of what you were saying and it gets me upset when you make such statements."

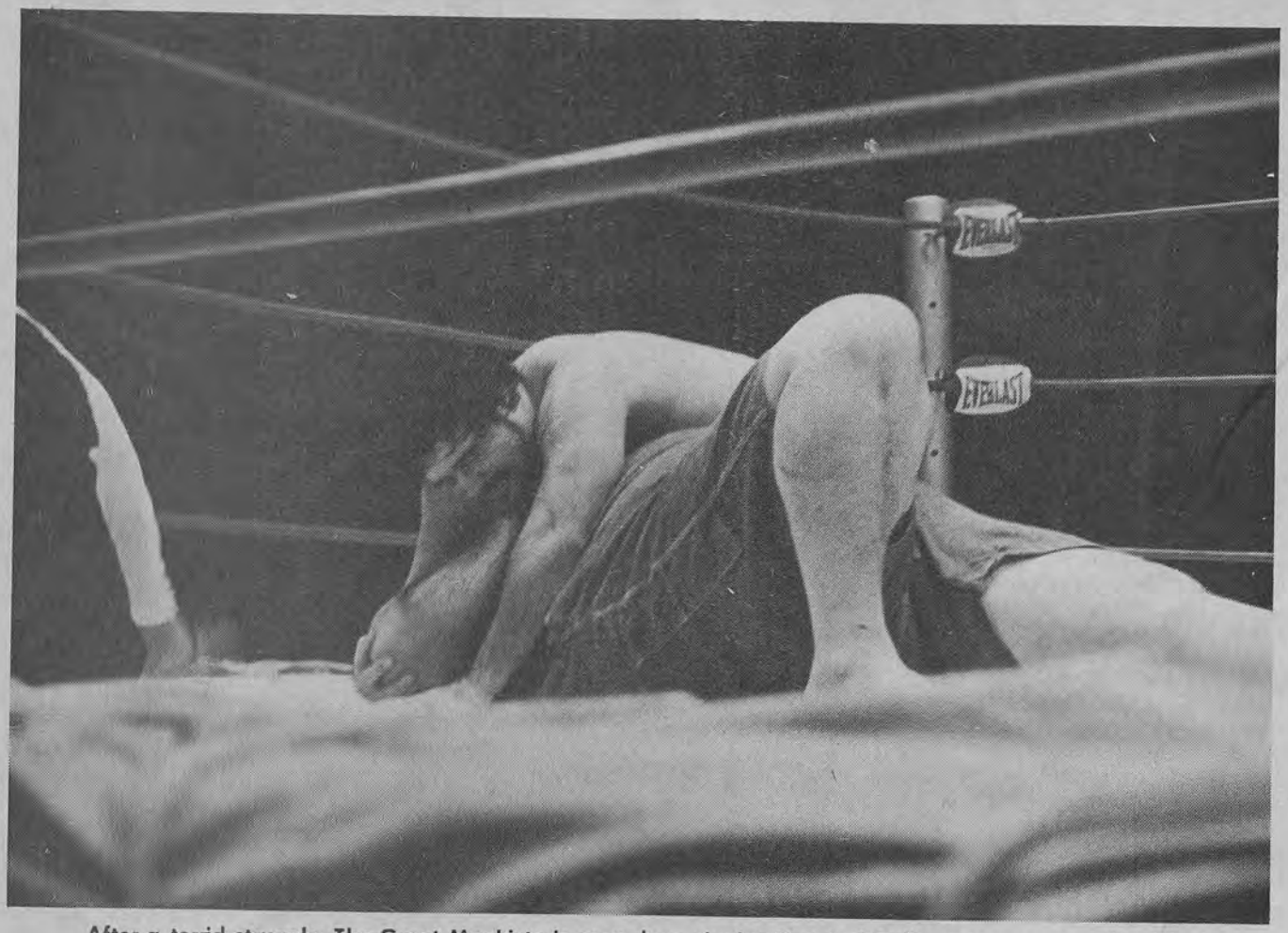
It seems the man puts up a good fight. Those who either love him or hate him — and most people hate him — still insist he has something in his boot during the match.

What about the referee? Hasn't he ever caught Mephisto in the act of inserting an object in his boot before he does the dirty work? The arbiter would, actually, have to answer in the negative. In fact, he undoubtedly would be called upon to explain that he had searched Mephisto's trunks, shoes, and prayer rug before the bell had even rung.

He's cagey, all right, and up to this point he has gotten away with virtually everything. He has met the best in the business and his past battles with Canada's Pat Patterson leave much to be desired. It was Patterson who Mephisto won the United States Heavyweight Championship from many months ago and

The Great Mephisto, bloodied but unbowed, speaks his piece into a TV microphone after registering a hard earned victory. ▶





After a torrid struggle, The Great Mephisto is seen here pinning Haystack Calhoun to emerge as the victor in an 18-man Battle Royal.

they continually battled on the mat until a definite winner was announced.

The way Mephisto treats his lovely servant girl is something to behold. If she doesn't place his prayer rug properly on the mat where he so desires, it's nothing for him to slap or even hit her and if she isn't fast enough, doing what he wants when he wants it done, she's in trouble again. Fans claim he definitely mistreats her and there are few who truthfully can deny the fact.

According to Mephisto, slaves are common in Arabia to this day and they're trained to be slaves.

"Yes, this is true, didn't you know this?" Mephisto asks. "For a long time, Arabia has had slave girls and they still do. They're born and raised to be slaves and they remain servants for the entire family. Shalina, therefore, will remain a servant for my family and/or relatives should something unexpected happen to me at any time."

Mephisto is a very religious man and always enjoys speaking about his beliefs and actions in the ring. But, let's let him tell about it.

"Before every match, I pray to Allah on my prayer rug," he stated. "I pray that my opponent will have enough courage to face me and that we will continue wrestling without his backing up and getting scared. I also pray that I will win; with spirits such as Allah's, there's no doubt that I win.

"And then, there's my trance. During most of my matches, I go into a trance that I can't help and I don't get out of this trance until I win. If I'm disqualified or something, I understand this and therefore am psychologically okay. I don't, however, escape from this trance until I win my match. That's why I never lose.

"I get a chuckle out of the fans. They actually believe that I break the rules in the ring but they know damned well that I don't. They're merely upset because I always beat their favorite wrestlers so they attempt to take it out on me this way. Well, it just won't work. They don't get me upset at all. They're trying to, though. So long as they continue to fork out the loot to see me in action, they can do all they want.

"Allah helps me out. Many times I can actually see him in the air if I'm at a losing point in the match and if I pray to him and place all my thoughts and beliefs towards him. it's just a mat-

"I Pray To Allah To Win, Hope Foe Doesn't Scare"

ter of seconds before my opponent is on the ground and being pinned by me."

Mephisto's story is interesting and he's quite different. Let's face it. Yet, he's rough and tough in the ring and knows his way around on the mat.

The wild man from Arabia was the winner of the internationally famous annual 18 man battle-royal, held in January of 1973 in the Cow Palace in San Francisco.

"Paul DeMarco, 601 pound Haystack Calhoun and I were the remaining 3 wrestlers in the ring," the great one informed. **"Calhoun and I pinned DeMarco** and that left that fat slob and me to go at it. We battled for the purse, fighting and fighting and I finally ended things by pinning him. Therefore, I won the event, the beautiful trophy and the $11,000 that went along with it. So, you see, I'm still quite happy about that, too, and I believe I have a good reason to be."

With this victory behind him, Mephisto immediately received offers from all across the world for the man to appear in main events in top arenas. Quite naturally, Promoter Roy Shire wasn't about to let the man leave the West Coast area and he thus had to fork out more loot to keep him here.

It was worth it. Mephisto is all box-office and although he's one of the most unpopular wrestlers in the game these days, fans still pour through the turnstiles to see him in action with hopes of seeing him get beaten thoroughly.

It's a fact he's a topnotch grappler. He's been around from country to country, wrestling the very best of every area and his experience enabled him to rack up victory after victory.

Mephisto often is confused for The Sheik, another wild Egyptian werestler.

"There is no relationship between The Sheik and I except that we both are leading Egyptian wrestlers. I am much better than he and I often wonder why people would compare us when I'm so much better. So far as wrestling is concerned, I could easily whip The Sheik seven days a week."

The Great Mephisto certainly has proved his point. So long as he can continue winning his matches the way he has been, it's a good guess he'll remain the king.

Dapperly attired in a silk gold suit, the Great One leaves the arena flush with victory along with Shalina.

"That Man by Those Girls"

No wonder Tony Marino wears a proud smile as he wraps his arm around his beautiful wife, Helene.

TONY MARINO builds security in men's hair-styling salons

If you live in Pittsburgh, Pa. and are an up and coming professional who dresses and grooms sharp you should know "that Man by Those Girls" is the top hair styling in town and should you see a well groomed handsome young man with a body like an Adonis, well he just happens to be Tony Marino, who is co-owner along with his gorgeous wife, Helene.

"You know wrestling is such a dangerous profession and you never now when your next injury will strike, so my wife and I started these hair styling salons for men with an entire female staff." You can get a haircut, shave, manicure, and even a shoe shine by a pretty miss.

"Funny", Tony said, "I see the same faces two or three times a day in here for a shine."

I happened to catch Tony between trips as he is an extremely busy fellow. At present he is after the United States Heavyweight Championship, a belt that has been on his finger tips several times lately and this time he said, "it will stick".

Born in Reggio Calabria, his parents migrated to Rochester, N.Y. when Tony was four years old. A natural athlete who took to all sports easily, he excelled in football, wrestling, and track in high school. A broad jump and shot put champion, he was also three times state high school wrestling champion.

Ironically, it was only after Tony left shcool that he became interested in lifting weights. Always an extremely strong and well built fellow it wasn't long before all of Rochester was commenting on the ability of this tremendous young athlete. Mr. Finger Lakes, Mr. Great Lakes, Mr. Eastern America. Tony's mom pleaded,'' Please no more trophy's, we have no more room''.

Winning award after award Tony deceided to enter Jr. Mr. America contest for the experience only, as he had seen many performers tense up and become so nervous they would shake and tremble. Many would walk up to the platform so nervous they would literally trip over their own feet. When they announced runner up numbers five, four, three, then two, he figured he had missed the whole shot, first runner up, then the winner... Jr. Mr. America... Mr. Tony Marino...

He was ecstatic, his first major contest and he was to win the same title three years in a row, until it was ruled as it was in the Mr. America contest after John Gremek had won the title twice, that a winner could not re-enter. Today John Gremek is sixty-seven and has the body of a twenty-five year old man.

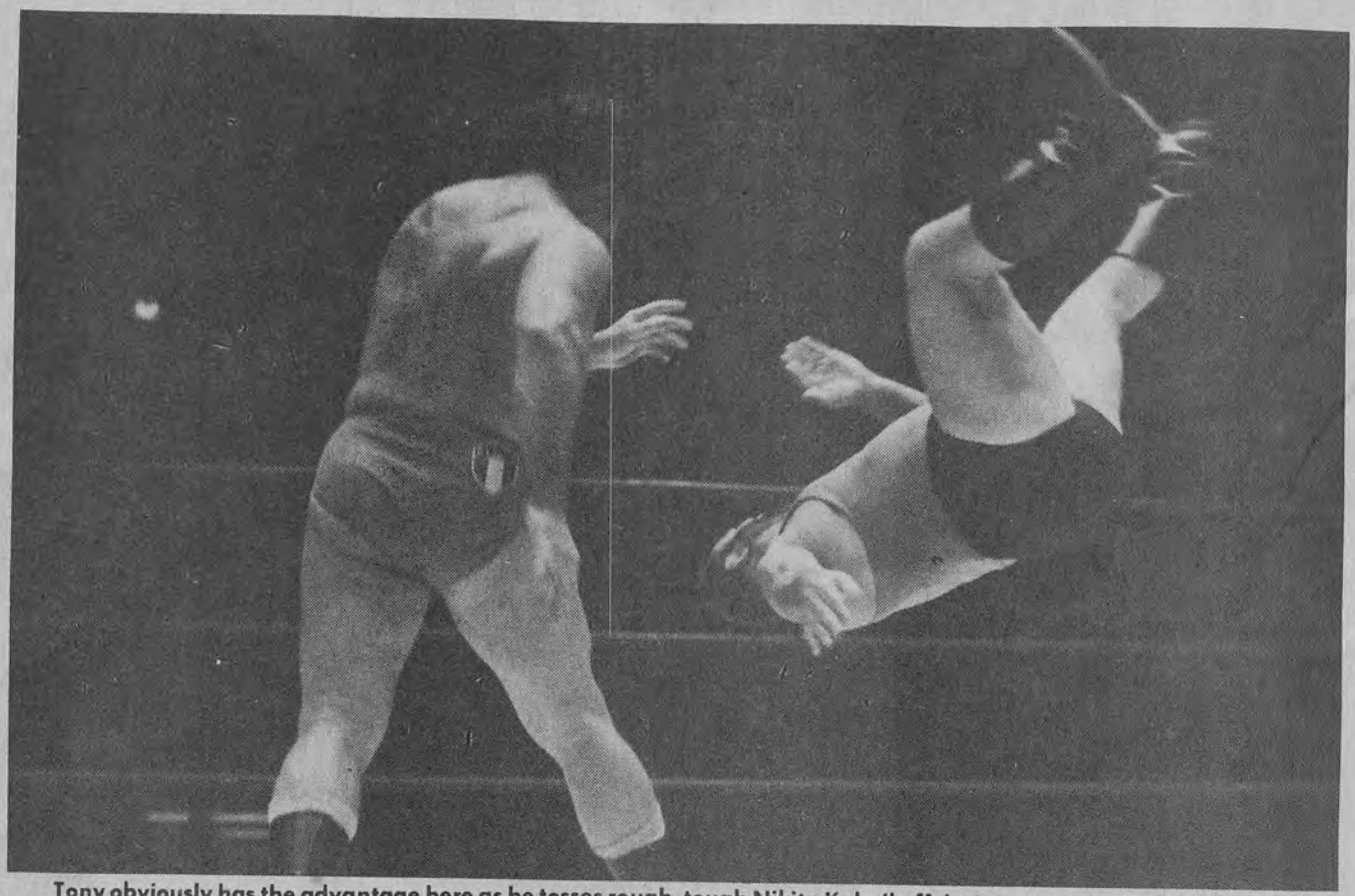
John taught Tony a lot of what he knows about weights. While entering contests young Marino went to work for Photostat Corp. where he became friendly with Donald Nevin, executive vice-president of the company who knew Paul Brown, then coach of the Cleveland Browns.

Watching Tony play football in the company lot during lunch hour brought on a tryout with the Browns, and an immediate contract. It just so happened the Browns had a young fellow playing for them by the name of Jimmy Brown, so it was Sundays sitting on the bench for Marino.

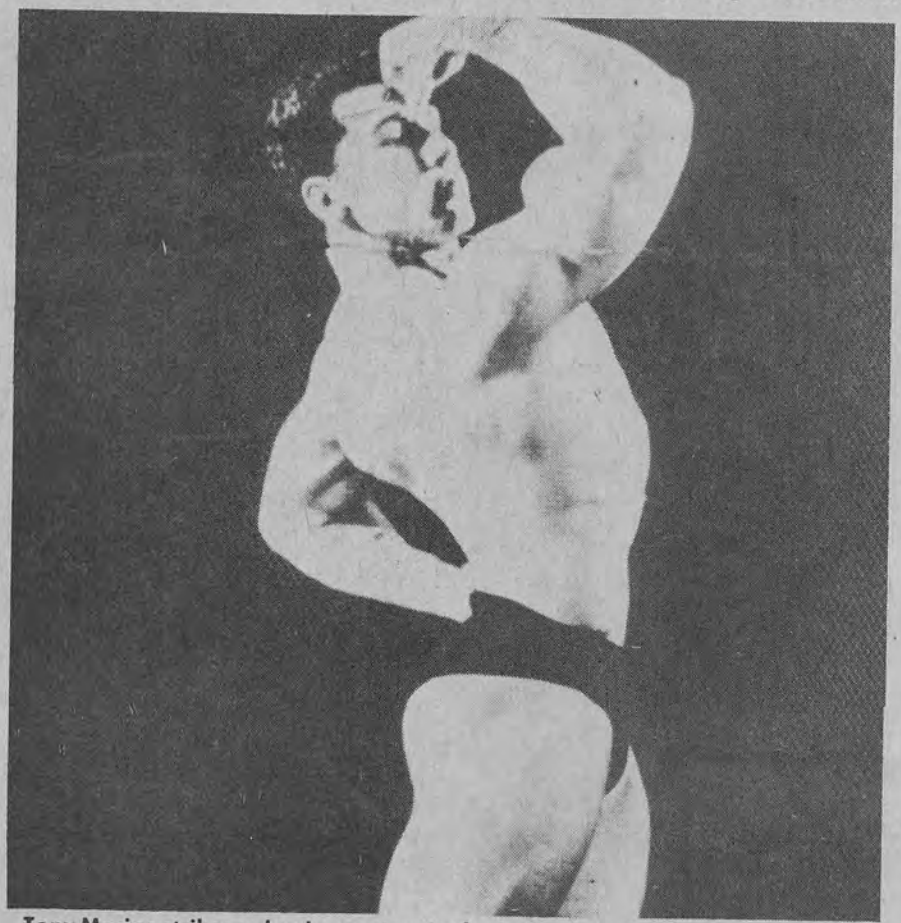
Never the spectator type he wanted more action and to get in on the post game back slapping, it is hard to laugh and joke about the game when your uniform is clean and your seat full of splinters always a lover of wrestling, Tony had been offered a contract by Jules Strongbow of Los Angeles, but he was under twenty-one and California law called for a parent's signature and his mother would not sign. Now it was Pedro Martinez that trained

This is the way Marino looks to the opposition just before the bell rings for action — all six feet and 232 pounds of powerhouse Italian.

Marino takes a leaf from the book of Ed Strangler Lewis and applies the headlock to Von Shotz during a recent match in Toledo.



Tony obviously has the advantage here as he tosses rough, tough Nikita Kalmikoff during a recent match in Toronto.



Tony Marino strikes a classic pose to win the Jr. Mr. America title as a teen-ager.

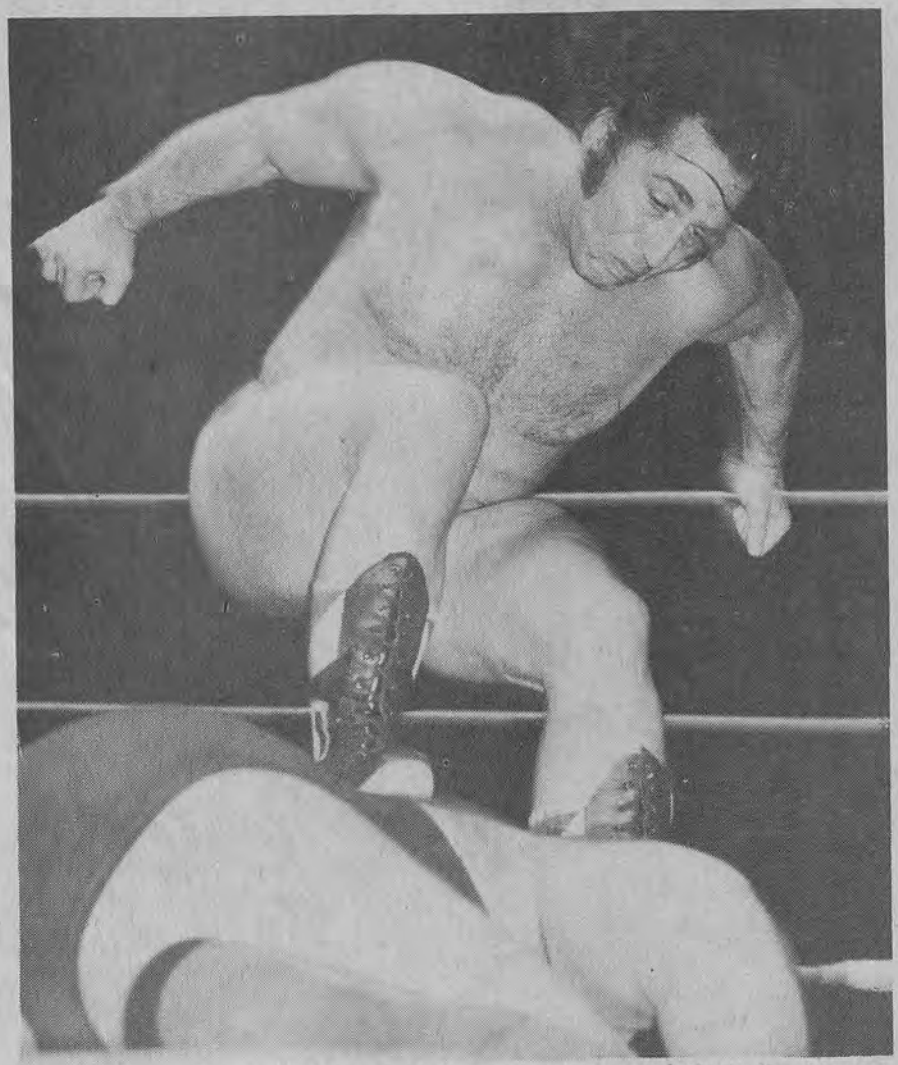
with him and for a year he beat Tony black and blue, bending his leg in a step-over toe hold to within an inch of breaking it.

Anxious to start as a professional, Marino felt he was getting a runaround until one day he told Don Nevin that he just had to go to Buffalo to get things straight.

When you are young seventy-five miles is a long trip, but he was determined, and bursting into Pedro Martinez's office he demanded a "match or tell me straight to my face that I am no good."

For ten seconds Mr. Martinez sat back of his gigantic desk staring at young Marino, then he picked up the phone and called Chicago for Fred Kohler. "Get in good shape you start in Chicago November thirteenth," Martinez roared at him and Tony floated from the office and to this day does not remember the drive home, but believes "I was so happy that the wheels did not touch the ground."

In those days Chicago was the mecca of the wrestling world, with a national televised show from Marigold Arena with Jack Brickhouse. Nobody ever worked harder and the big day finally came and Marino's career took



Here is one opponent who has quickly learned never to push the Italian temper of Marino too far. The result can be devastating if you are the guy on the bottom.

Some nights nothing seems to go right, even for a rugged, talented wrestler like Marino.

shows mercy to a begging opponent in Toronto.

off like the proverbial rocket. Winner of the rookie of the year award, he then teamed with Gino Angelo and in Salt Lake, Utah they won the Worlds' Tag Team Championship, a title they held for seven months, then Tony held the Southern Championship for nine months, and now has one hand on the United States belt and after that he wants a shot at a world's title.

I asked Tony of his injuries, "please don't talk of my injuries as I feel them all over again every time I think of my broken nose (three times), one hundred and seventy-six slitches in my head, the collied ear, the torn cartilages, tendons, ligaments and the one hundred and eighty-three stitches Killer Kowalski put in my leg."

"I feel sad when I think about this,'" said Tony "but a man cannot serve two mistresses and I tried that for years, it finally ended with me quitting wrestling and working for two years selling aluminum siding and then life insurance." Two honorable professions and although he was a success it was the constant remarks of the fans who found their hero a door to door salesman and concluded he was a failure.

Night after night he pleaded with his wife that wrestling was his love and finally a split... then a divorce. "God gave me this body to use and to do things with, you know I am now married a second time to a beautiful girl named Helene, she is a fantastic person, here look at this. "Tony showed me a gold medallion that hung from his neck." I am an Aries the sign of the Ram and Helene who has made me conscious of my astrological chart is a Cancer." "Life is wonderful and I love living, I have a whole new lease on life." Tony Marino, you sure are "that man" by "that girl."

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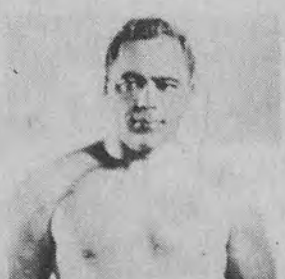
Many Mat Stars

All-Time Top 10



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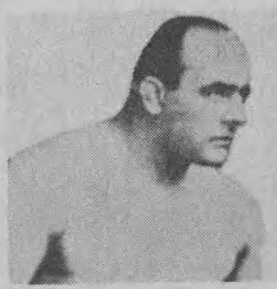
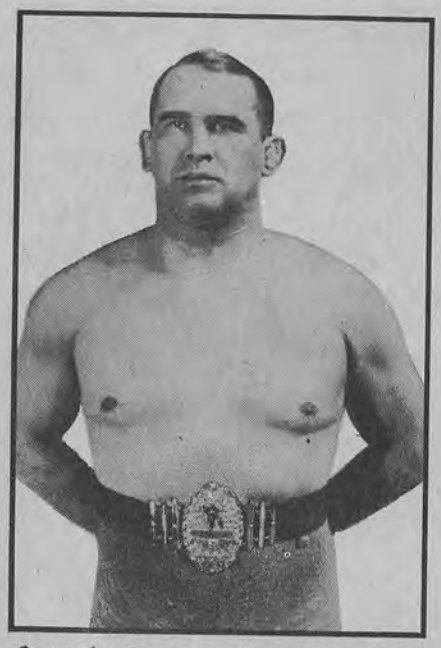


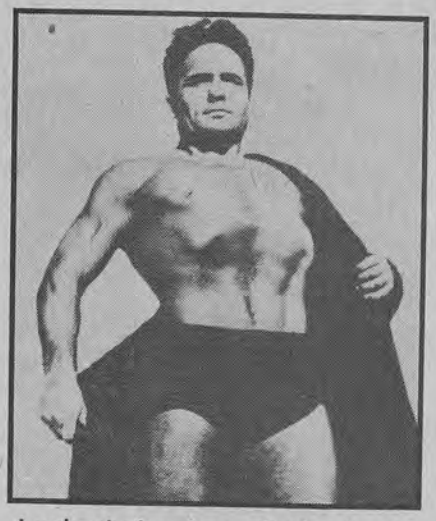
Stanislaus Zbyszco

The Great Gamma



Strangler Lewis . . . the champion's champion.

Frank Gotch (right) matches boxing skill with Kid McCoy, the top trickster among fighters.



Londos the handsome Golden Greek.

By Jack Welsh

Wrestling is one of our oldest and most elementary sports with a history dating back to the beginning of recorded time.

Trying to select the top ten wrestlers of all time is virtually an impossible task but with this issue of Wrestling Revue, this observer is going to drop a little controversy in your lap and see what happens.

Whether you agree or disgree, remember there is always a mail box within walking distance.

If there was ever a greater all-around pro mat man than Ed "Strangler" Lewis, he might be breaking bread with the Abominable Snowman and we aren't going to the Himmalayas to check it out.

Five-times world's champion, Lewis first won the crown from Joe Stecher late in 1920 after building up an impressive reputation for ten years.

Ed's stock in trade was his famed headlock which gained him many submissions against some of the foremost wrestlers in the world.

Perhaps it was strictly publicity but prior to his match with Stecher, the big fellow trained with a wooden model of a human head which he would clamp with a headlock, claiming he was building up his crushing arm muscles.

The first encounter with Stecher was one of brutal strength on both sides. During the first hour, the defending champion appeared to have an advantage, repeatedly tying up Lewis with a body scissors hold.

After three hours of determined combat, Lewis emerged with the championship when he trapped Stecher with his specialty — a headlock.

Such marathon events would be totally unpopular today but Lewis and Stecher met again in 1921 and The Strangler needed five hours and 45 minutes to show the world he was truly the better man.

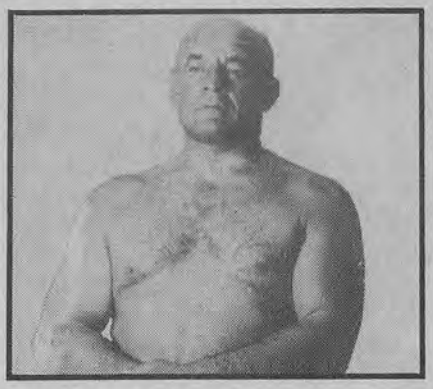
Lewis is also remembered for his rough series with Stanislaus Zbyszco, who was trapped in Europe at the outbreak of Word War I and interned in Russia.

Strangler was extended to the limit before he managed to defeat the powerful Pole in their first match. The contest was so thrilling and well-balanced the public clamored for a rematch.

Twenty minutes had passed when Lewis spotted what he thought was an opening and dove at Zbyszco. Stanislaus deftly side-stepped his opponent and when The Strangler hit the canvas, Zbyszco applied the pin which gave him the world title

Gus Sonnenborg, the first collegian to make it big and the man to bring new color to the sport with his gridiron tactics.

Lou Thesz was a protege of Strangler Lewis



Stanislaus Zbyszco, the toughest Pole who ever lived.

after 20 years of campaigning.

Lewis wasn't out of the titular picture, however, since Zbyszco was in the twilight of his career and ultimately retired after losing to Stan Stasiak.

Stasiak's victory wasn't for the crown and there were several claimants to the championship. Wayne Munn defeated Lewis in 1925 to receive recognition as world's champion but two years later lost the title to Stecher.

Strangler Lewis regained the championship again in 1928, beating Stecher but only a year later Ed was on the outside looking in.

For all his skill, strength and experience, Lewis was the victim of a colorful newcomer from Dartmouth — Gus Sonnenborg.

The Swede was the first college football player in pro wrestling and he had his own trademark, the flying tackle, which enabled him to defeat the great champion.

After Sonnenborg lost his crown to Ed Don George, The Strangler was back in the picture, beating the latter for the championship again in 1931.

Although now into middle age, Lewis was still a formidable foe and many younger — though equally capable — wrestlers avoided the champion whenever possible.

Lewis lost his championship for the fifth and last time in 1933, bowing to Jim Bowning. The newcomer had great fan appeal, particularly when he employed his "aeroplane spin".

In this maneuver, Browning would hoist his opponent over his head, spin him violently and then slam him to the mat for what was usually the final time.

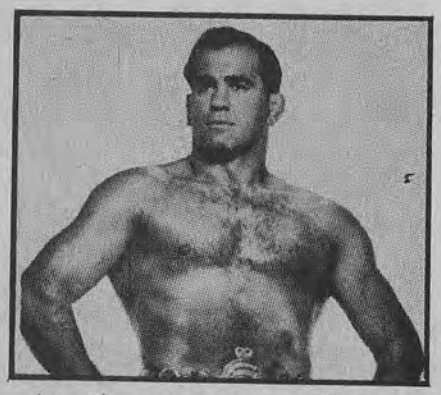
For all his ability, Lewis was an easy prey to the aeroplane spin.

By the mid-thirties, Strangler Ed was no longer a serious factor for championship honors but wherever the grunt'n groan guys did their thing his name would forever remain synonymous with the sport.

Jim Londos, the Golden Greek, had now moved front and center. The bronzed athlete first won the world's championship in 1934, beating Browning. Londos lost the title back in 1935. Danny O'Mahoney was the conqueror.

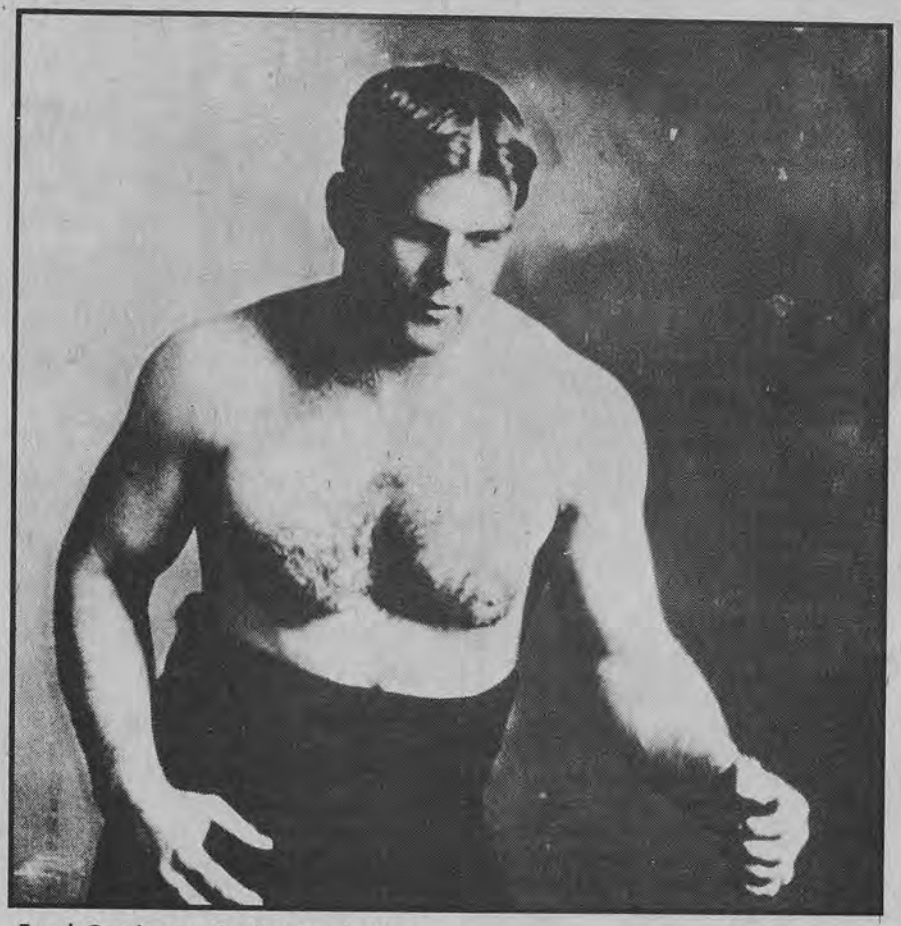
Londos was a box office natural with his classically handsome face, powerful biceps and overall ring generalship. In some quarters, mat experts will tell you Jimmy "was the greatest who ever lived — bar none."

John Pesek, campaigning out of the middle west, never won a world's championship but this highly-talented grappler met



Lou Thesz won the world title five times.

Lewis was famous for the headlock.



Frank Gotch was the first international world's champion, beating George Hacken Schmidt in Chicago, April 4, 1908.

and defeated many of the top men of his time in the thirties and forties.

Lou Thesz's career spanned three decades and the talented Hungarian out of St. Louis was a protege of Ed Strangler Lewis.

Unlike the gimmick wrestlers who are highly popular today, Thesz relied on his consumate skill and impressed everyone who saw him in action.

Ironically, Thesz's first tenture as the champ was the shortest ever recorded by the National Wrestling Alliance.

The Missourian took the championship from Everett Marshall in St. Louis on Dec. 29, 1937 and lost it back to the same man on Feb. 11, 1938.

Thesz, like Lewis, was the world's heavyweight mat champ no less than five times. When he lost his championship to Dick Hutton in 1967, Lou called it a career.

Lou might have even been more popular had he resorted to the many gimmicks which were becoming the vogue during the early fifties.

However, Thesz was a perfectionist and one of the best all-around grapplers in the annals of the sport.

Getting back to Sonnenborg, the collegian emerged on the scene as one of the first men to add dash and color to his performances and was a forerunner to the gimmick side of the sport as we know it today.

Gus was an All-American on the campus and when he applied his gridiron tactics to his mat opponents, the crowds went wild.

While perhaps not as skilled as some of the other men mentioned here in the top ten, Sonnenbrg was an exceptional athlete who made his "flying mare" attack his trade mark.

Gus worked hard to perfect his wrestling abilities and truly deserved his rise to championship acclaim.

On April 3, 1908 in Chicago, Frank Gotch, the American champion, met George Hackensmith, Olympic Greco Roman champion, for the first international world's heavyweight championship.

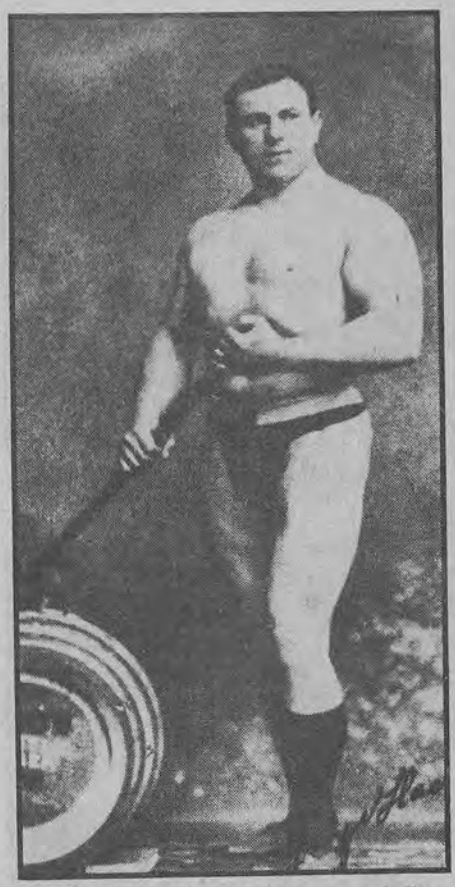
Gotch was the victor and was a foremost grappler until 1913 when he retired. Naturally, there weren't as many pro wrestlers at the turn of the century but Gotch was a thorough craftsman.

An Iowa farmer, Gotch toured the Alaskan gold fields where prospectors and miners were starved for entertainment.

Wrestling catch-as-catch-can style, Frank climaxed his tour by defeating Silas Archer for the championship of the Klondike.

Zbyszco is remembered for his matches with Gamma.

Londos displays his championship belt



Hackenschmidt was a powerfully-built man.

Two years later he beat Tom Jenkins for the American crown in two straight falls. In 1909 Gotch defeated Yussif Mahmount, the Bulgarian Wonder, and met Stanislaus Zbyszco the same year.

The first meeting was in Buffalo — a non — title affair — which ended in a draw after an hour's wrestling. The two titans of the mat met in Chicago in 1910 with Gotch's title on the line.

Frank ignored Stanislaus' opening hand shake before the bell and dove at his legs, quickly tying Zbyszcoin a half nelson for the fall.

The crowd was irate over Gotch's tactics but no rules were violated. When order was restored, the two men went back to work. This time they struggled on even terms for 30 minutes before Gotch's superior ability prevailed in a successful defense.

Zbyszco continued to tour the world, returning to Great Britain and was still an important factor in wrestling after World War I.

The Great Gamma was still highly popular and effective in the 1920's and 1930's as he passed his 60th birthday. The pride of India first attracted attention in 1910 when he came to Great Britian with R.B. Benjamin's circus of Indian grapplers.

Gamma later had trouble getting work and he offered to meet any 20 English wrestlers, one after the other and forfeit his purse if he didn't throw all of them. There were no takers.

He finally secured a match with Zbyszco. Gamma quickly went to work on his adversary, making the Pole realize he was up against a formidable opponent.

Rather than risk defeat, Zbyszco went on the defensive and settled for a disputed draw. Gamma returned to India just before the 1914-18 uprising.

Gamma's career high came in the late 1920's when he got a return match with Zbyszco. The bout took place in the state of Patalia where Gamma erased the Polish matman in 21 seconds.

Gamma continued professionally with great success until his retirement in 1940.

Well, that's it. And there are many more names equally deserving . . . like Earl Craddock, . . Dick Shikat . . . Danny O'Mahoney . . . Buddy Rogers . . . Steve (Crusher) Casey . . . Bronko Nagurski . . . Gene Kiniski . . . Bobby Managoff . . . Billy (Whipper) Watson . . . Ernie Duselk . . .

If you think it is an easy task, try for you own top ten and see how many aspirins it takes . . .

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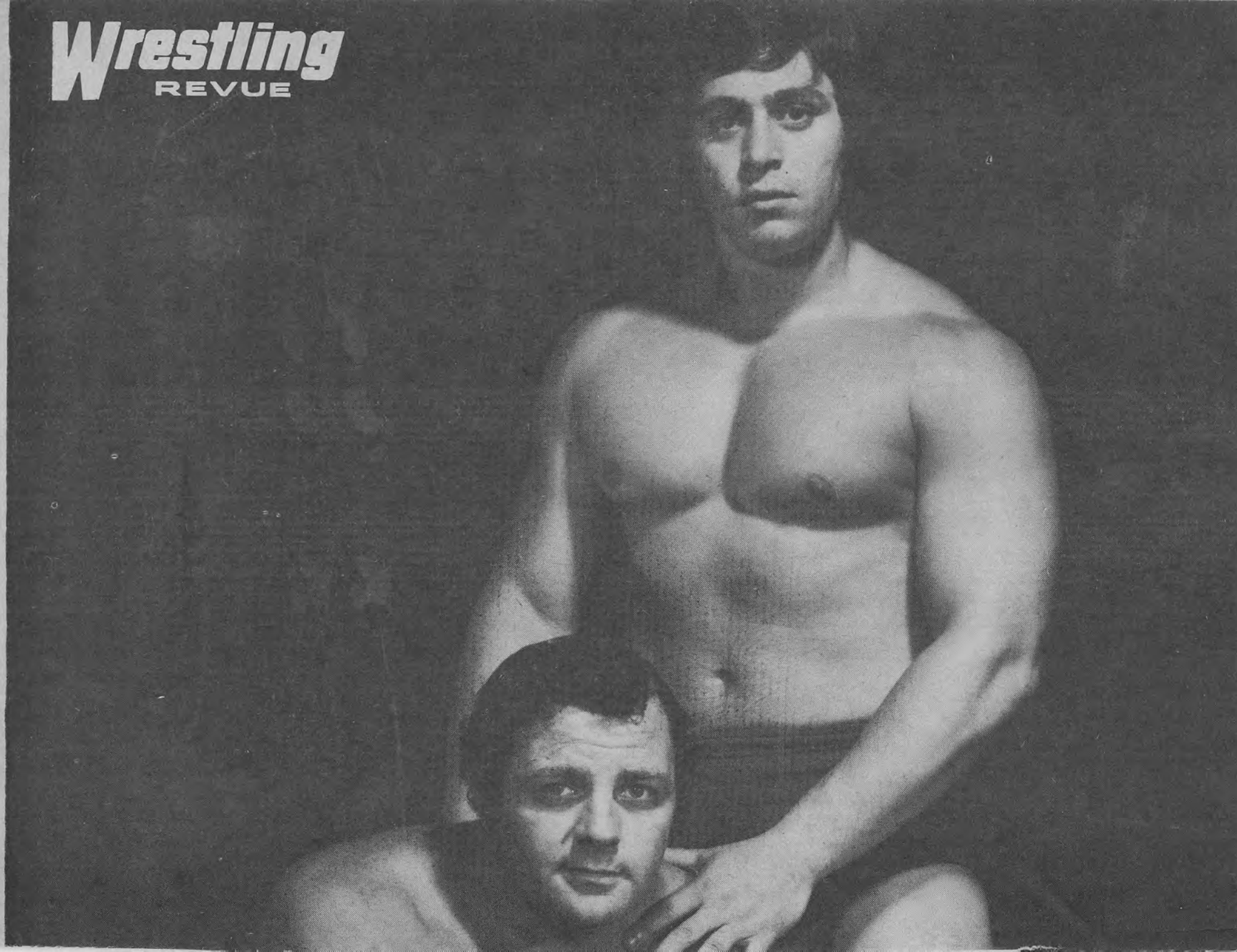

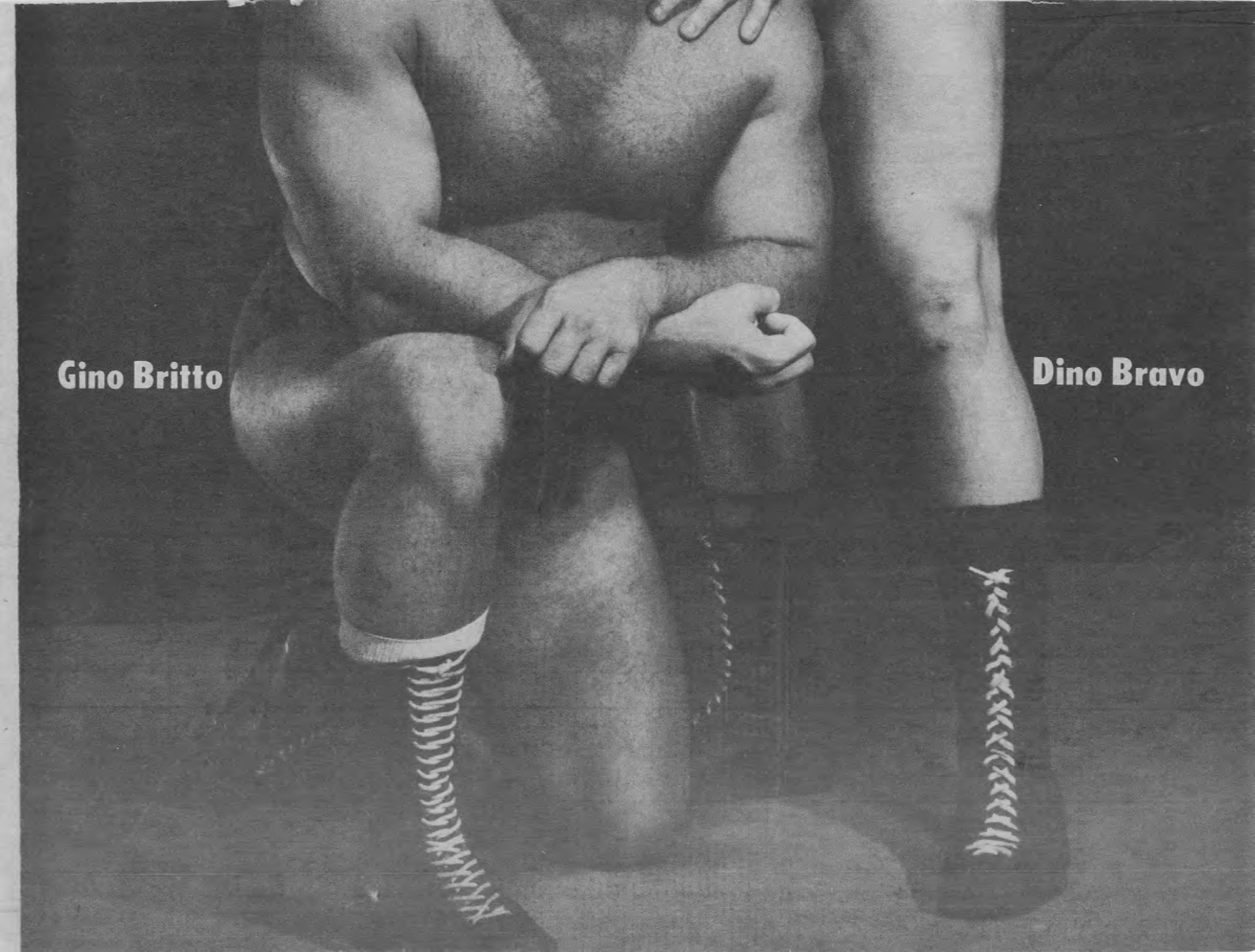
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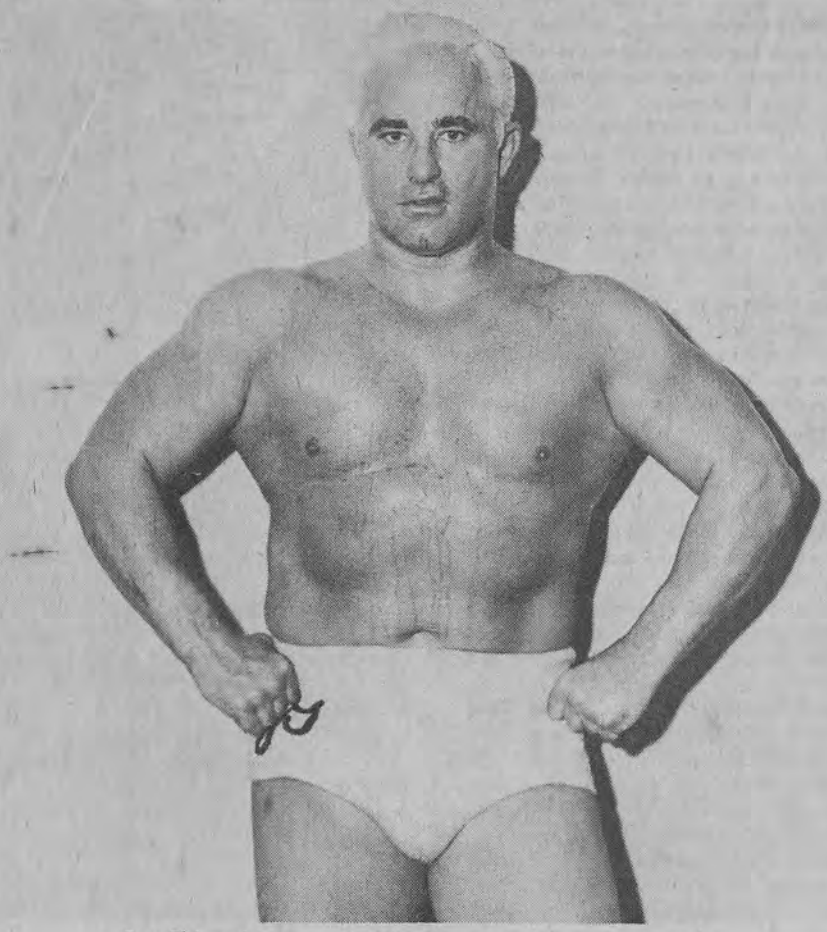


Roy Shire always maintained top condition as a wrestler.

ROY SHIRE, EX-MAT STAR, NOW WINNING PROMOTER

by ALLAN BOLTE

For many years now the West Coast has been one of the leading areas for professional wrestling in the world. Virtually every night fans are turning out for leading matches in major arenas throughout the area with topflight wrestlers starring in championship matches in San Francisco and Los Angeles.

One man responsible for the success of wrestling in Northern California is Roy Shire, an ex-wrestler himself who started it all here twelve years ago and has been successful since his first promotion.

On March 4, 1961, Shire booked leading wrestlers into San Francisco's world famous Cow Palace and he had a virtual sell-out crowd. Considering the attendances, he needed a building as mammoth as the Cow Palace, although crowds seemed to be dieing out before Shire took the scene over.

"I, personally, really can't tell you what caused the downfall of wrestling in the San Francisco area until I re-opened it," Shire stated. "However, I do know what built it back up — newer faces, newer arenas, plus action galore.

"It's just like a restaurant. If a person goes to a nice restaurant and gets good food, he'll come back. If he doesn't like the food, he won't come back. Naturally, the same goes for wrestling. If a fan sees good matches, he'll come back. If he doesn't, he won't come back.

"When I opened the Cow Palace I promised fans that they would see only the best of big time wrestlers in the world today. I feel that I've struck with my promise, and this is another major reason why fans continually return to the matches."

Fans on the West Coast constantly are priviledged to see all types of matches featuring only the best of wrestlers, big names who have appeared virtually everywhere and are in constant demand all across the world.

Thanks to Shire, this still holds true. What gave the man the brilliant idea of switching suddenly from

Jim Gagne ready for action.

Bloodied Mephisto Talks on TV

wrestler to wrestling promoter, thus turning in his trunks for a silk suit?

"Actually, there were many reasons why I changed," he admitted. "My ability as a pro wrestler slowly was declining and, of course, age was starting to catch up with me. Had I continued wrestling for three or four more years, I don't feel I could have made it well enough and I believe in doing things right or not doing them at all. When I was 25 and 30 years old, I was doing just fine, particularly in my younger years. But, soon enough, I could not cope with the younger wrestlers entering the game.

"I spotted the old promoter before I took over and I noticed that he had made a mint — yet he had no desire or determination at all as a promoter. Thus, I entered the scene with the right time and chance. I quit wrestling and turned promoter, I knew I still wanted to be affiliated with the sport since it fascinates me so much."

Shire's biggest house in the Cow Palace was during his famoux 18-man battle-royal, in which he grossed $56,000.00. Now 47, Shire is married and has two young sons, Darrin, 13, and Rory, 9.

Undoubtedly Shire has seen wrestlers such as The Interns, Dutch Savage, Kinji Shibuya and The Great Mephisto break the rules. Why, he's seen them all but use a knife on their foes and what is his attitude towards this?

"Well, first of all, I'm not the referee, so I really don't have much say about that. That's the referee's job, not mine. However, I learned through experience that it's easier to beat a man in 20 minutes through breaking the rules than it is chancing your win in 50 minutes."

The highest paid wrestler on any show is the champion, Shire tells us, and the next highest paid is the challenger, and so on down the line, The winners, naturally, get more money and money, we must admit, is the name of the game in wrestling.

One who seemingly has made it, Promoter Roy Shire has gone a long way in his chosen field and whenever a fan sits down for an evening of wrestling — and you can be sure it'll be the best in the country — it will be thanks to one man; Roy Shire.

All types of wrestlers have appeared throughout the West Coast. Every year around Christmastime, Terrible Ted, the 650 pound live brown bear from Alaska, with his trainer Nick Adams, puts in an appearance for normally a month and sells out at every arena he appears in. Every January is battle-royal time, with 18 of the top names in wrestling flying in for the event. Shire often

Peter Maiva tries cooling out.

presents lady wrestlers, midgets and even the lady midgets and death matches, fence matches, lumberjack matches and six-man tag team bouts are nothing unusual for him.

Wrestling still is doing fine in Las Vegas, Nevade, in the beautiful Convention Center on the strip. Every month on a Tuesday night, championship matches take place. Promoters Shire and Louie Miller still are successful with their bi-weekly Sacramento matches in the Memorial Auditorium, held every other Wednesday night. Fresno, California's Convention Center hosts wrestling every two or three weeks, too, and fans constantly pour through the turnstiles to see those matches as well.

There are many reasons for such success. All of which leads us to the big names now appearing on these shores. Big, mean Dutch Savage is a rough competitor who isn't particularly loved by West Coast fans. Popular Red Bastein has been with us for half a year now and he has been doing fine.

Rocky "Soulman" Johnson still is at the top of the list, clinging onto his end of the World's Tag Team Championship with the aforementioned Pat Patterson. The Masked Interns, with their manager, Dr. Ken Ramey, are a rugged team who often use any means of winning. Peter Maivia, the popular Samoan star, returned to the West Coast about three months ago and is still a tremendous athlete.

From Poland, The Mighty Igor is an interesting fellow who has been appearing off and on lately. Japan's Kinji Shibuya and Mr. Saito have been fighting for a chance at the World's Tag Team Championship and if they continue in the same manner that they have been, they just may grab the belts.

One of the most talked-about tandems currently wrestling is The Interns. Managed by the well-known Dr. Ken Ramey, Interns # 1 and # 2 are big, mean and vicious and obviously know their way around on the mat. Some say that without Ramey, they would be nothing yet it's a fact they're mean and brutal and have strength galore. They haven't lost a

The Interns in a tag team tussle.

match since arriving in these areas and there are few who will attempt to argue with them. In seeing them in action, it's obvious Ramey will do anything en route to victory and he often throws in an elbow or boot while the referee isn't watching.

"You are making false statements," Ramey spoke up. "Don't do that. It's not nice. I spotted The Interns just a few years ago and if there is any idiotic wrestling fan who won't admit that they're the greatest team in wrestling — the uncrowned World's Tag Team Champions — then I'll kiss your foot.

"My Interns have talent, strength speed and ability. And they know their good. They don't really need me in their corner, but I'm there anyway. I'm their manager and I see to it that they are constantly blooked in matches throughout the world — only main event matches — and I see to it that they're comfortable in the areas where they wrestle. I handle all paper work and since I know a lot about wrestling, I can give them pointers whenever they need some.

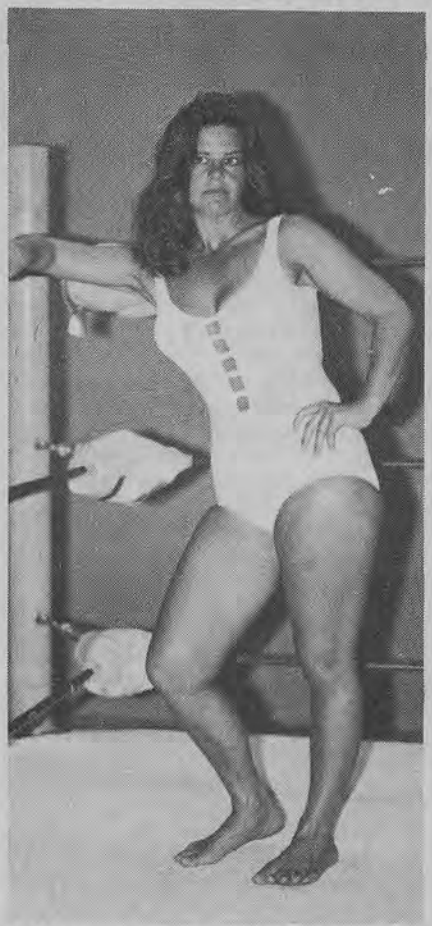
"Don't underestimate me. I wrestle every now and then, too, and when I do, I'll admit that I'll do anything to win. This is how I am as a manager. In fact, I'll go on to state that I am such an outstanding wrestling manager that I could take a guy out of the street's garbage can and after two or three months, he would be a topnotch wrestler.

"That's what The Interns are. Topnotch wrestlers. Just give me a little bit more time and they'll be the tag champions. Just wait and see."

A wrestler who hasn't been seen in these areas for almost half a year is The Great Mephisto, the rugged Egyptian who had a servant girl in lovely Shalina and it was Mephisto who was well-known for his boot and whatever he cared to insert inside it. Whenever the going got a bit too rough, he simply inserted a hard object in his boot and kicked his tormenter in the head with it, behind the referee's back. Unfortunately, he often got away with his dirty to work and there were few referees quick and smart enough to catch the man in action.

Mildred Club amateurs Judell

Judell Dulong (left) discusses future matches with the former queen of the mat, Mildred Burke, while her daughter, Sharon, looks on.



The raven haired Judell plans her strategy.

The attractive Californian strikes a confident pose as she awaits the bell.

Mildred Burke was unquestionably the greatest women's wrestling champion of all time.

Back in the forties, Miss Burke was to the distaff side of the sport what Ed "Strangler" Lewis was to the male counterpart.

Since her retirement in the early fifties, Mildred has operated a school for professional women wrestlers in Reseda, California.

Always an enterprising woman with a good business head, Miss Burke is always on the lookout for new mat talent.

Now she has extended her operation with the formation of a girl's amateur wrestling club.

"I think wrestling is the greatest sport in the world and the most healthy. I want to do all I can to encourage women and children to compete, "Mildred said.

Miss Burke pointed out that the amateur club is designed primarily to acquaint young ladies with the fundamentals of wrestling.

"We hold regular meets on a schedule and nobody is pressured to turn pro unless they want to. It is strictly for the fun of the sport. However, if a young woman has a natural talent for the game and wants to become a professional, we will help her all we can,"

Burke's for rates DuLong tops

Mildred explained.

One of the Californian's prize pupils is raven-haired Judell DuLong.

"Judell is a beautiful woman who runs two to four miles every day and works out in the gym three times a week. She prefers to wrestle barefoot."

Mildred pointed out that Judell likes to wrestle men while training because "She finds it easier to beat women in regular competition." Miss Burke also added "that's the way I started wrestling on a professional basis."

Mrs. DeLong's daughter, Sharon, is 12 and already has shown a liking for the sport. She trains with her mother regularly and Mildred predicts it won't be long before the young miss with the beautiful blonde hair "will have a figure like her mother."

The club continues to gain in popularity with each passing month and in recent weeks, the former women's champion has signed up such promising young ladies as Dottie Lee, Cathie Lane, Sandra Ford and Lynette Joyce.

And, needless to say, Mildred Burke wouldn't mind one bit if one of these gal emerged as a future professional champion. . .

If Judell decided to turn pro she would bring a lot of glamour to the ring.

It's mother versus daughter in a friendly bout.

Despite a trim figure, Judell Dulong is a powerfully built young woman.

PEDRO MORALES' PUBLIC DEMANDING A REMATCH WITH BRUNO SAMMARTINO

Pedro has Bruno Sammartino under tremendous pressure as he savagely twists his left arm at Shea Stadium in a match New Yorkers called the "greatest in a decade". It ended in a draw.

"Pedro", "Pedro", "Pedro", the crowd cheers as the two men grapple on the mat. The Garden rocks with their chant as the muscular Puerto Rican pins the bullet headed villain.

The twenty thousand empty out of their seats and into the subways. As they ride home to Brooklyn, the South Bronx or El Barrio they talk about their hero, they talk about Pedro Morales.

Morales is undefeated in four years. He is the heavyweight wrestling champion of the World Wide Wrestling Federation, who's jurisdiction encompasses New England, Connecticut, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Washington DC.

Morales enjoys New York the most because when he appears in Scranton or Baltimore the Hispanic fans don't dominate the crowd as they do in New York and most still remember Bruno Sammartino as THE CHAMP.

He's the official titleholder of the WWWF yet he performs some 26 times a month. In comparison a heavyweight boxing champion appears only twice a year with a vertitable fortune at stake to induce him to enter the ring.

Morales defends his crown in places like Allentown, Pa., Utica, NY, Cherry Hill, NJ and White Plains. It sounds like a route map of the Penn-Central railroad.

When Morales returns to his wife and their apartment in Queens he goes almost unnoticed. Perhaps because he is still the boy from Culebra at heart and hasn't allowed his ego to overcome his personality.

He was born in Culebra, a small island off the coast of Puerto Rico, October 22d, 1942. His father, Pedro Sr., and his mother the former Tiodora Rivera worked in the island's Department of Health.

The eldest of three children, he has a brother William and sister Ida, his first love was baseball.

He played semi-pro in Santurce and Ponce, "Esteban Rivera and I were the only pro ball players in all Culebra", adds Morales proudly.

He was ready to go all the way

PUERTO RICAN STILL UNBEATEN AFTER FOUR YEARS IN THE EAST

in baseball when he took up wrestling in high school. The rigors of keeping in shape were difficult for a growing boy and Morales gave up the diamond for the wrestling mat.

He began his amateur career in 1957, a year later he turned professional. "I was the youngest professional wrestler in the USA", he says.

A Puerto Rican manager named Kola Quarrone took him to New York and he made his pro debut by pinning Buddy Gilbert

Verne Gagne (left) and Pedro Morales are the respective champions of the A.W.A. and the W.W.W.F. and both are making it quite clear they are after each other's title.

in 3 minutes 40 seconds at Sunnyside Gardens on November, 11, 1958.

The Latin fans hadn't emerged as a dominant factor in wrestling yet. They had Antonino Rocca or Miguel Perez to occupy their minds if they were so inclined so Pedro Moralez didn't mean much to them.

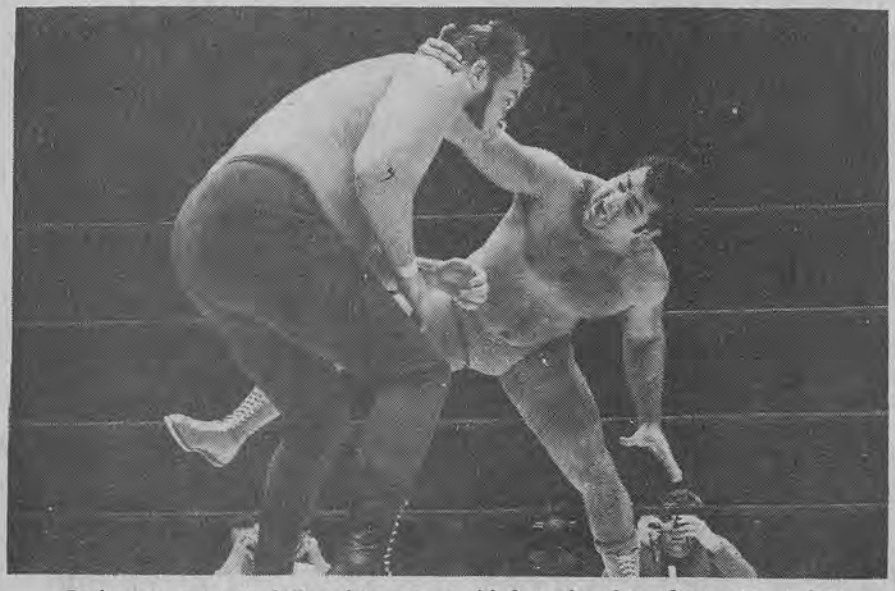
He went to the West Coast in 1960 and toured the country for "four or five years".

Morales answers questions regarding his profession as if he were being cued by Willie Gilzenberg, Vince McMahon or Gorilla Monsoon, a former wrestler who now manages Morales.

"I'm willing to wrestle anyone", he declares.

Asked his opinion of three men claiming the world heavyweight championwhip he states, "I'll wrestle NWA Champ Harley Race or AWA titleholder Verne Gagne whenever a promoter is willing to put up the money" "It's up to them to arrange things"

What was his toughest match? "Bruno Sammartino — who held me to a draw after one hour and sixteen minutes", he adds shrewdly, not wanting to insult Bruno's followers while building



Pedro prepares to deliver his patented left to the chin of Stan Stasiak in a recent New York encounter.

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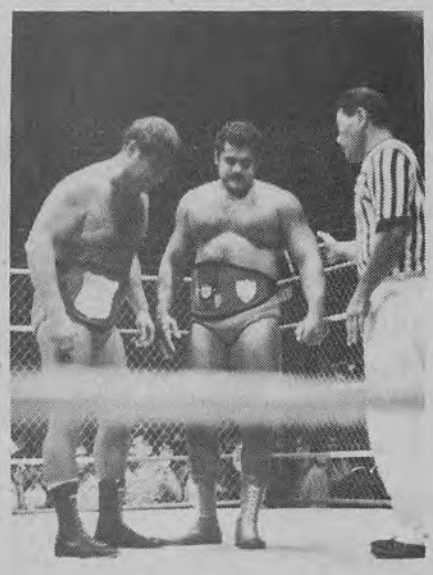
Morales recovered from this precarious position to win the WWWF championship from Ivan Koloff.



Pedro teams with Ed Francis and prove themselves the perfect pair as tag champions.

towards a rematch.

What hobbies does he enjoy when not wrestling?

"I like to lounge around my home in Culebra Qo swimming and fishing for three or four weeks".

After boxers like Jose Torres and Carlos Ortis lost their titles, the Puerto Rican fans began to look towards other sports to occupy their time with.

Football and Basketball had no Latin element and no great Puerto Ricans played in New York so they turned to wrestling.

The promoters noticed their interest and began to groom Morales. He developed into an outstanding attraction and soon was labeled as the heir apparent to then champ Bruno Sammartino.

The natural match was Sammartino versus Morales but promoter Vince McMahom had a cardinal rule, "Never match two heros"

The passing of hands would

PEDRO LIKES TO FISH WHEN HE HAS TIME AWAY FROM THE RING

have to go from hero to villain to hero. Ivan Koloff was the perfect opponent to lift Bruno's crown. He was big and strong and called the "Mad Russian".

At that time everyone hated the Russians. Nixon and Brezhnev were not yet comrades in arms, the multi-million dollar wheat deal hadn't been transacted, Bobby Fischer hadn't underminded Boris Spassky and Olga Korbut hadn't performed her

Preparing to return home after a hard night on the mat, Morales shows himself as a dapper gentleman indeed.

way into our hearts. So Ivan Koloff, last vestige of the cold war, was the perfect foe.

Morales "avenged" Bruno's defeat and gained the crown from Koloff but the Bout of the Century — Morales vs Sammartino still tugged at the promoter's purse strings.

The bout was staged in October and though poorly promoted (The whether was too cold and they didn't capitalize on closed circuit) a crowd of 20,000 showed up to watch them battle to a standstill.

The next time they meet in New york it may be in a refurbished Yankee Stadium, where Pedro's favorite ball team plays and his Puerto Rican fans feel closer to home.

Morales wouldn't mind if his schedule wasn't as time consuming. He could continue to fish and swim more often in Culebra.

"I'd like to be champion a few more years", says the 30 year old Morales who's indefinite about his post-wrestling career.

Pedro Morales may not possess the genius of a Pablo Casals or the acting ability of Jose Ferrer but when someone compiles a list of contributors to Puerto Rican culture his name should be near the top. After all they don't talk about Pablo Casals on the subways of New York and 22,000 don't pack the house with regularity to see Jose Ferrer — but they do to witness a flying drop kick of Pedro Morales — Super Star.

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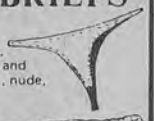

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Brisco Ends Race's 57-Day Reign

Harley Race has quickly learned uneasy lies the head that wears the crown.

The blond Texan hardly had time to adjust his halo than it was gone, leaving him with the dubious honor of the third shortest reign as world's heavyweight champion as sanctioned by the National Wrestling Alliance.

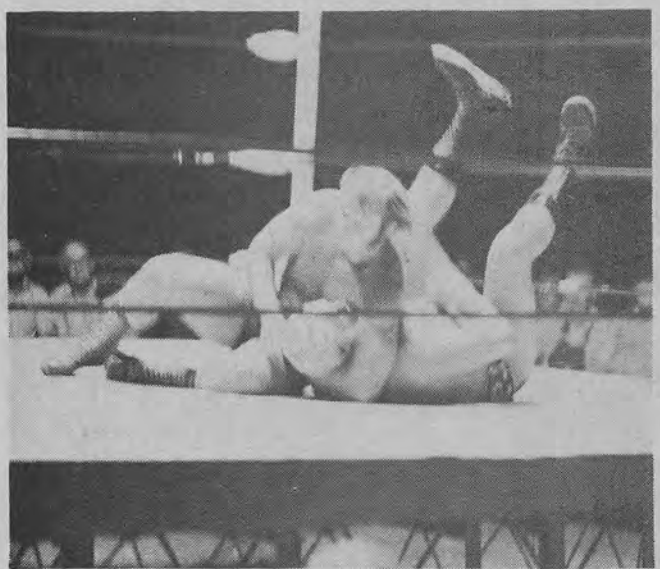
Jack Brisco dethroned Race at the Sam Houston Coliseum in Houston on July 27 --- just 57 days after the latter had captured the championship from Dory Funk, Jr., on May 24 in Kansas City.

Prior to losing his crown, Race met Funk in a return match at Kansas City on June 30. The decision was a draw with each grappler gaining a fall, thus the champion successfully retained his title.

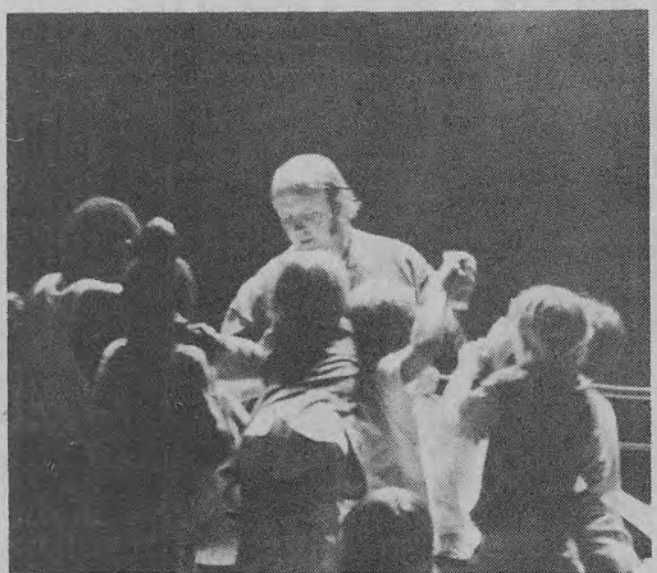
WRESTLING REVUE herewith presents exclusive photo coverage of the exciting draw between Funk and Race.

The shortest reign in NWA history was 42 days and, surprisingly enough, the record belongs to Lou Thesz, who was to win the crown

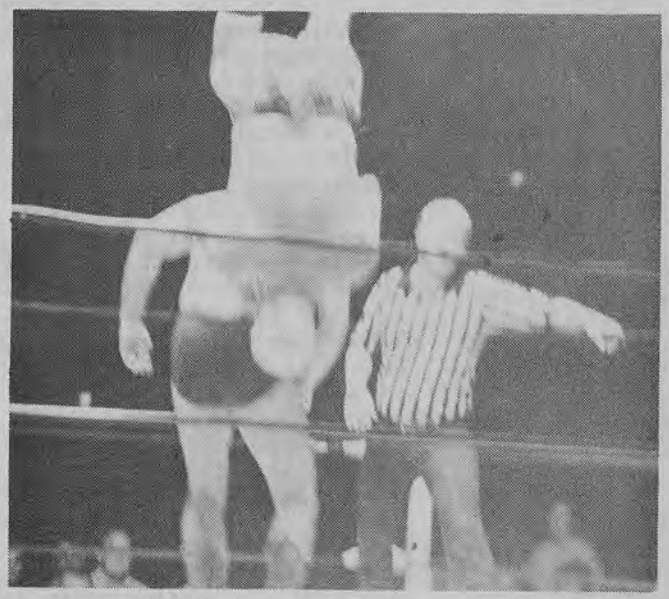
Harley Beats Funk For Title, Dory Forges Draw In Return

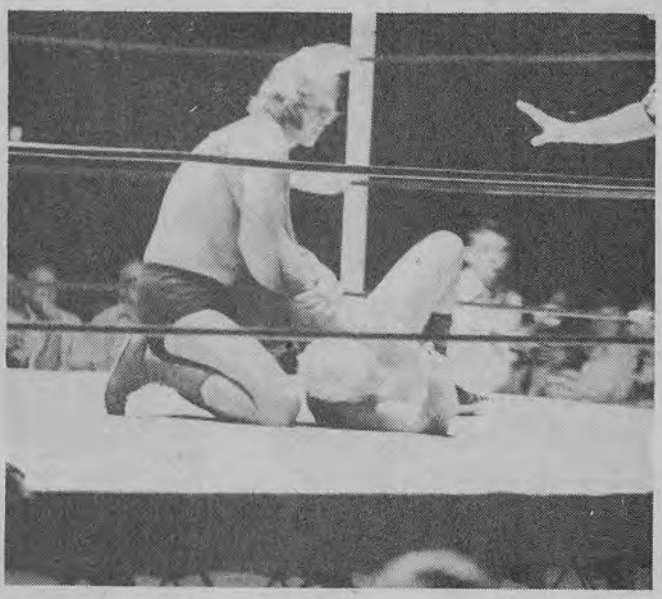


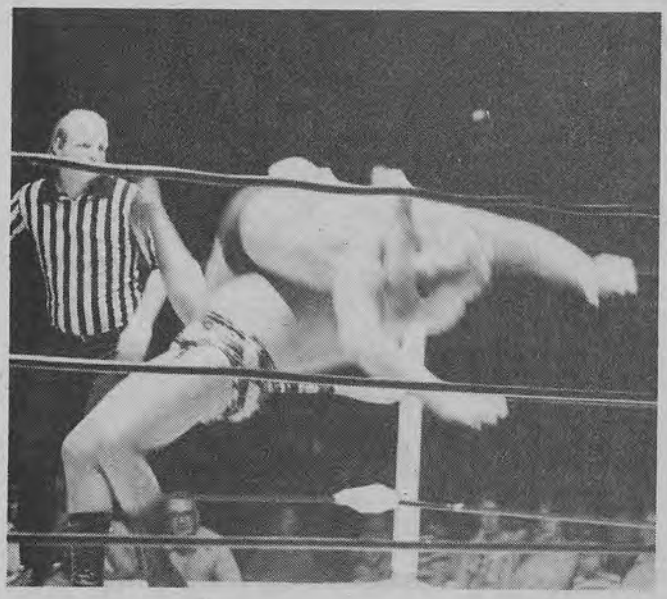
Dory Funk, Jr., gets off to a fast start against Harley Race in an effort to recapture the championship he lost on May 24. However, the title encounter in Kansas City ended in a draw with each wrestler gaining a fall.

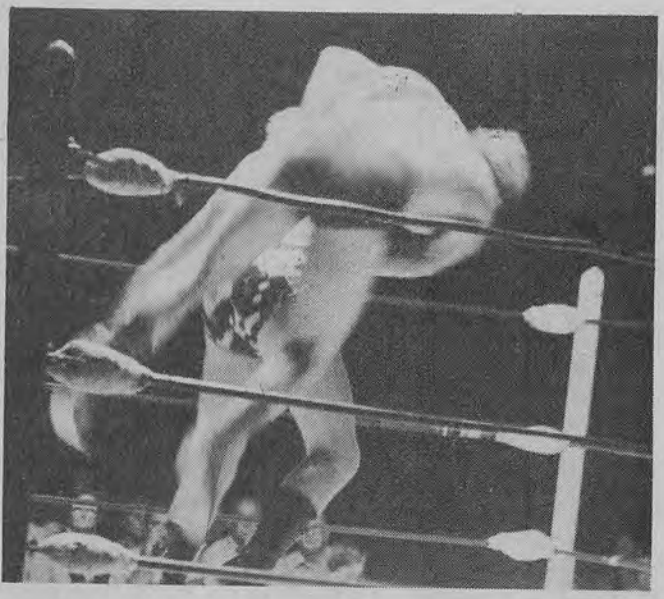


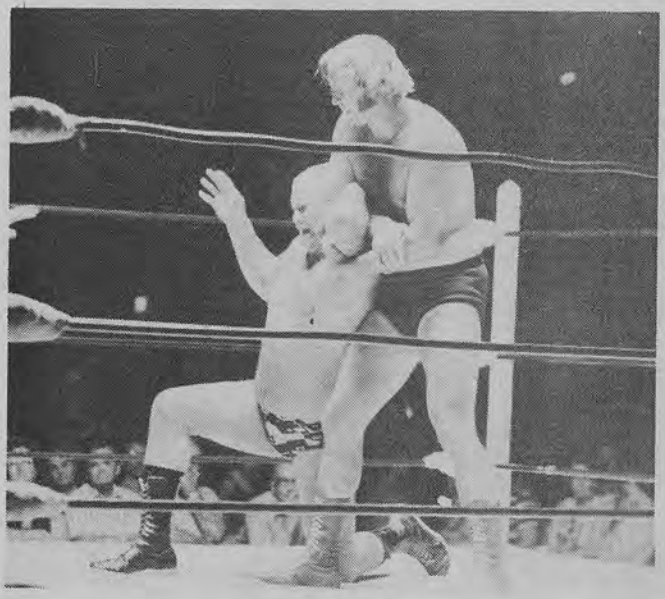
Youngsters of all sizes and shapes clamor into the ring before Funk goes against Race in a rematch for the championship.

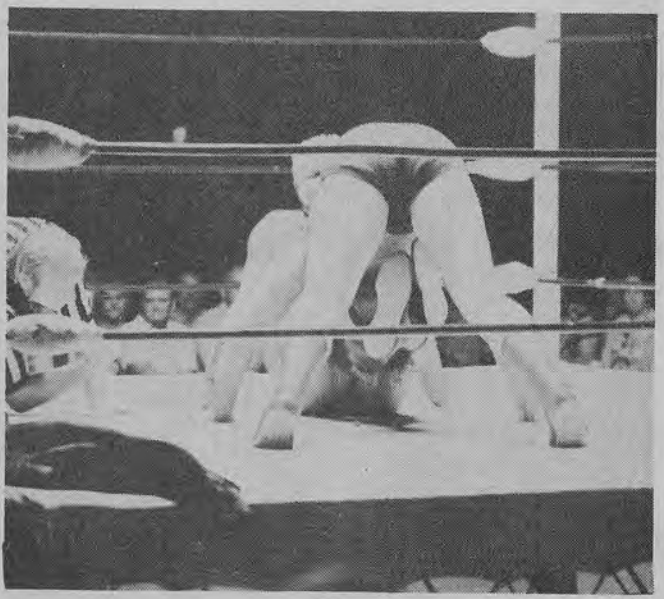












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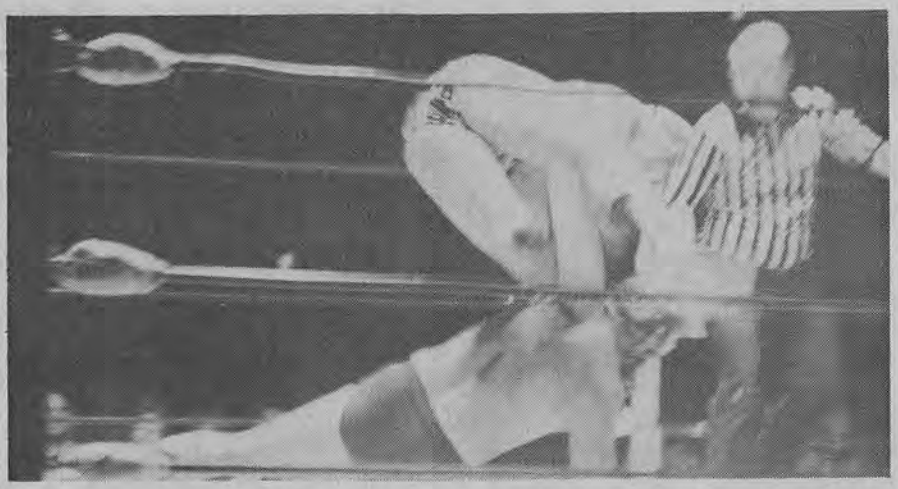


five time during his long and colorful career.

Thesz won the title from Everett Marshall on Dec. 29, 1937 in St.Louis and lost it back to Marshall on Feb. 11, 1938.

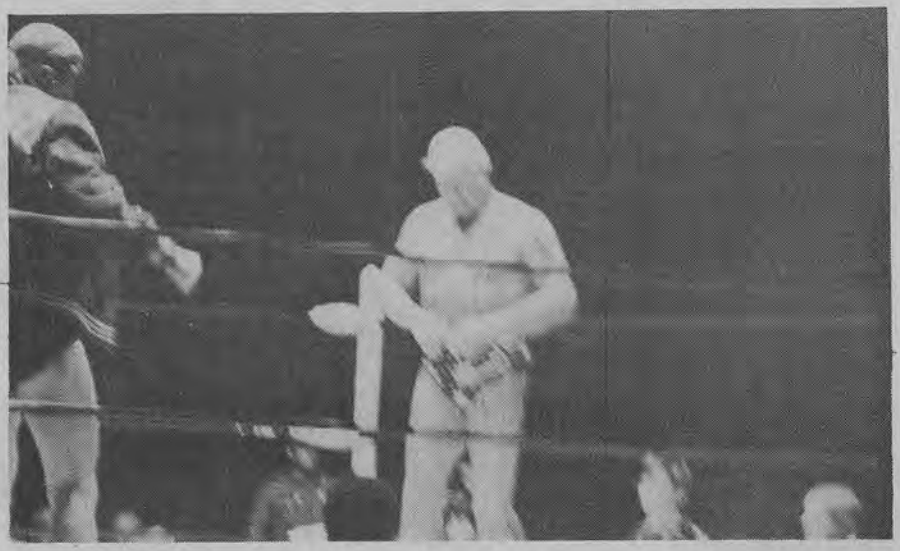
The second shortest reign was established by Yvon Robert of Montreal who held the title 52 days. The popular French-Canadian captured the championship from Wild Bill Longson on Oct. 7, 1942 in Montreal.

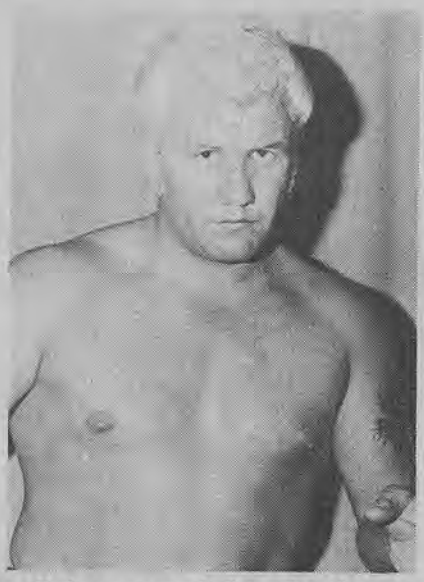
Robert, who died of a heart attack two years ago, lost the diadem to Bobby Managoff in Houston on Nov. 27, 1942.

Brisco, long considered the foremost challenger for the championship, had to come from behind to defeat Race before 10,000 screaming mat patrons.

After 12:12 of torrid action, Race finally wrapped up the initial fall with his specialty --- the suplex slam.

Brisco came right back and made short work of the defending champion, taking the middle fall in 2:43 with a flying fore leg lock.





Brisco ascended to the throne after 7:05 of combat when he rebounded off the ropes and caught Race around the shoulders. Harley was flattened by the impact and Jack dove across his chest to make the winning pin.

Race originally had scored a stunning upset in beating the seemingly invincible Funk for the championship in May.

Harley had captured the initial fall in 12 minutes with a cradle hold and appeared to be on the verge of wrapping up the match in straight falls.

Race dashed across the ring at the opening bell for the middle fall and went to work on Funk's left arm which was once fractured.

However, the gutty Funk withstood the tremendous pain and managed to even the match when he decked Race with a forearm smash and quickly followed up with a pin in five minutes.

The deciding fall was a wild melee from start to finish. Race, sensing the title was within his grasp, threw caution to the wind.

Harley gouged Funk with his thumbs and then threw the titleholder out of the ring. Race then got out of the ring and threw Funk back into the ropes.

Once the pair returned to the ring, Harley rammed Dory's head into a corner pole and opened a wound that left the blood spilling onto the canvas.

Twice more Race smashed Funk's head into the iron corner post. Dory made a last ditch stand to save his championship when he wrapped Race in a cradle hold but with 27 minutes gone in the third fall, Funk succumbed to a suplex slam.

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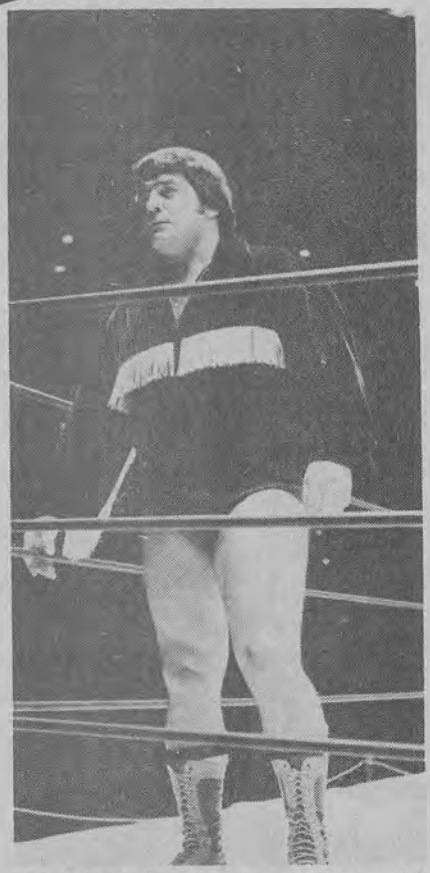

Paul Jones become one of the mosts fearsome heavyweights in the world today when he hears the bell ring for that initial fall.

by CHRISTINE COPELEN

Paul Jones shocked the wrestling world when he defeated Jack Brisco for the Florida Heavyweight Championship last year and continued his rage on Southern wrestling by dominating every major area in the sport.

Jones handily defeated Bob Roop for the Florida T. V. Championship after wrestling two opponents in one evening and shortly afterwards defeated Boris Malenko for the Brass Knuckles Championship.

He reigned as the "Number One" wrestler in the South for over a year. Suddenly the roof caved in and he lost virtually every title he held, splitting up with his long time successful tag team partner, Buddy Colt. Paul also found himself at the bottom of every major rating list.

Jones quietly left Florida with only one message; "I'll be back!" He left hurt and dejected, not still proud and pompus. Paul said he was not running from Colt or anyone else, merely going into extensive training in the Far East with a long time friend Pak Song. Song, a 6-4 Korean, taught Jones most of what he knows in the martial arts, in both Karate and Judo.

After returning from an absence of one month, the public was introduced to a new Paul Jones. He was deliberate, yet less methodical. The defensive Texan suddenly became more aggressive in his actions. And strangely enough he remained proud but held an exalting air of dignity not present before.

Jones came back with several new maneuvers, what he termed, "Especially for Buddy Colt and others like him". The first he introduced was none other than Colt's reverse neck breaker. His first victim was Colt and when he finished the fans and Buddy were well aware, that they were not seeing the Paul Jones of yesterday.

Jones came up with a version of the flying tackle, only using his blinding speed and quick execution to upset unsuspecting opponents. The man who had been disliked by everyone before would soon become Number one, not only in his own eyes, but most important, in the eyes of the fans.

Jones beat Colt for the Florida Championship once again, setting his sites for every title he could get his hands on. A complete shock came to most when he teamed with rivals Eddie Graham, Tim Woods and Jack Brisco to defeat men he once considered friends.

He found a permanent residence on top, and was now being accepted as a game competitor, something which had preyed silently on his mind for sometime. Graham and others were now seeing this man as he really was, just as he really wanted to be.

"Jones changed his attitude about Colt sometime ago," said Graham, but other than that, it's hard to say. He's a young fellow with a lot of ability and enough experience to be good. He's also got a hot temper, which can get a guy in trouble."

Jones still has come on like something of a conceited ass, as he has been accused of being in the past. But there is a difference between being conceited and knowing your're good, though.

Nobody will ever fault Jones for being modest, but he's a good wrestler, he trains hard, and he's dedicated to bettering himself, and that's what wrestling is all about.

There is no finer tag team in the world today than Paul Jones and Jack Brisco.

Jones proudly displays the belt symbolic of his Southern heavyweight championship.

With Jones' advent of new holds, his changed attitude, and preference of tag team partners and friends, he was becoming once again the man to beat: the wrestler everybody wanted to wrestle. He wrestled Colt many times for his Florida T.V. Championship hoping to win the title, but was unsuccessful at regaining it because of the disqualification ruling on most title matches, and the (20) minute time limit. He knew that in order to win the title he would have to defeat Colt quickly and efficiently.

The final match took place in Tampa's Ft. Homer Hesterly Armory. It was a grueling encounter, both men taking tremendous amounts of punishment. The match ended in a draw. Sensing he had Jones down and could soundly defeat him, Colt called for a five minute extention. The referee refused but Jones', too, wanted to go five more minutes. He signaled to go ahead and the announcer rang the bell. Without any notice, Colt fell to the floor, Jones rolling him into a reverse rolling cradle, pinned to the count of three.

Colt grabbed the trophy and headed for the dressing room. Referee Stu Swartz raised Jones' hand in victory. Even though he was minus a trophy he was still the new T. V. Champion. It took only a week and Colt immediately put in an appeal to the N. W. A. claiming it was not within the 20 minute time limit and he could not loose the title. The N. W. A. agreed and Jones' was awarded only the match. The next night Colt repeated the action and won Jones' Florida Heavyweight Championship.

"If I want to be respected as Number One, "says Jones," I have to prove that I'm Number One. Just saying so doesn't mean a thing. I've always backed up what I said, and now I have the Florida title back. Tough luck, Colt but don't feel bad...it's no disgrace to get beat by Number One."

The Jones — Colt battles are far from being finished. Neither man has given in, with both taking mental and physical punishment few could stand. Each encounter is putting both men higher and higher on rating lists. But again, Colt with his pride hurt considerably is not giving in an inch.

"Jones is riding high right now," says Colt." But I'm going to give him something to think about. As you know Jones and I learned to fight in the streets of New York, Baltimore, Jacksonville Beach and in the Marine Corps; you think that Johnny Valentine can fight dirty, but you haven't seen all I can do-----not yet you haven't."

Any comments from Colt have not shaken the confidence of Jones, which only adds to the controversy of who is Number One.

"I'm accustomed to being Number One, not just for myself, but for fans and for people like Eddie Graham, Jack Brisco who stuck up for me, right or wrong."

Jones is in demand at all times, every wrestler in the South fights to receive a title match with him, expecting to find a flaw in his attack and up set him. His methodical, quiet, cruel way in the ring has made him a legend in his own time; He's the blond bomb shell Johnny Valentine.

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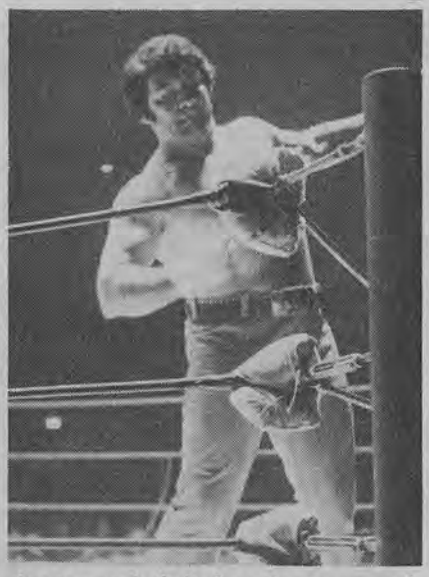

Jones unwinds before the inaugural bell in a recent match in Tampa.

list of the chicks who are after me. Top man on my list now is Johnny Valentine, a man I used to respect as a great athlete and a capable competitor. A lot of people say Valentine is crazy. I won't be one to dispute that. Crazy maybe, but not stupid. I can fight as dirty as he can and I'm real anxious to make that fact painfully obvious to him!"

Another competitor who has challenged Jones is Georgeous George, Jr. After seeing him in action, most agree there is quite an athlete under all that hair spray, robes and pin curls. He is respected as a fine competitor throughout the United States.

"I think Paul Jones should give me a chance to wrestle for the Florida Heavyweight title," said George. "I've always wanted that title, but of course I never went after it when Buddy Colt was champion because we were such close friends."

"By rights," Jones quickly added, "Georgeous George should have to wait until I work my way down my list till I get to him. But I just might call that arrogant bum's bluff and see if there really is a great athlete underneath all that hair spray!"

It's certain that Jones is once again Number One, the type of athlete he knew he could be. He is a game competitor in life and in the sport of wrestling, an unusual athlete dedicated to becoming what he wants, when he wants and in whatever capacity he chooses. Florida fans like the new Paul Jones, and it seems as though he himself is pleased with his revived image.

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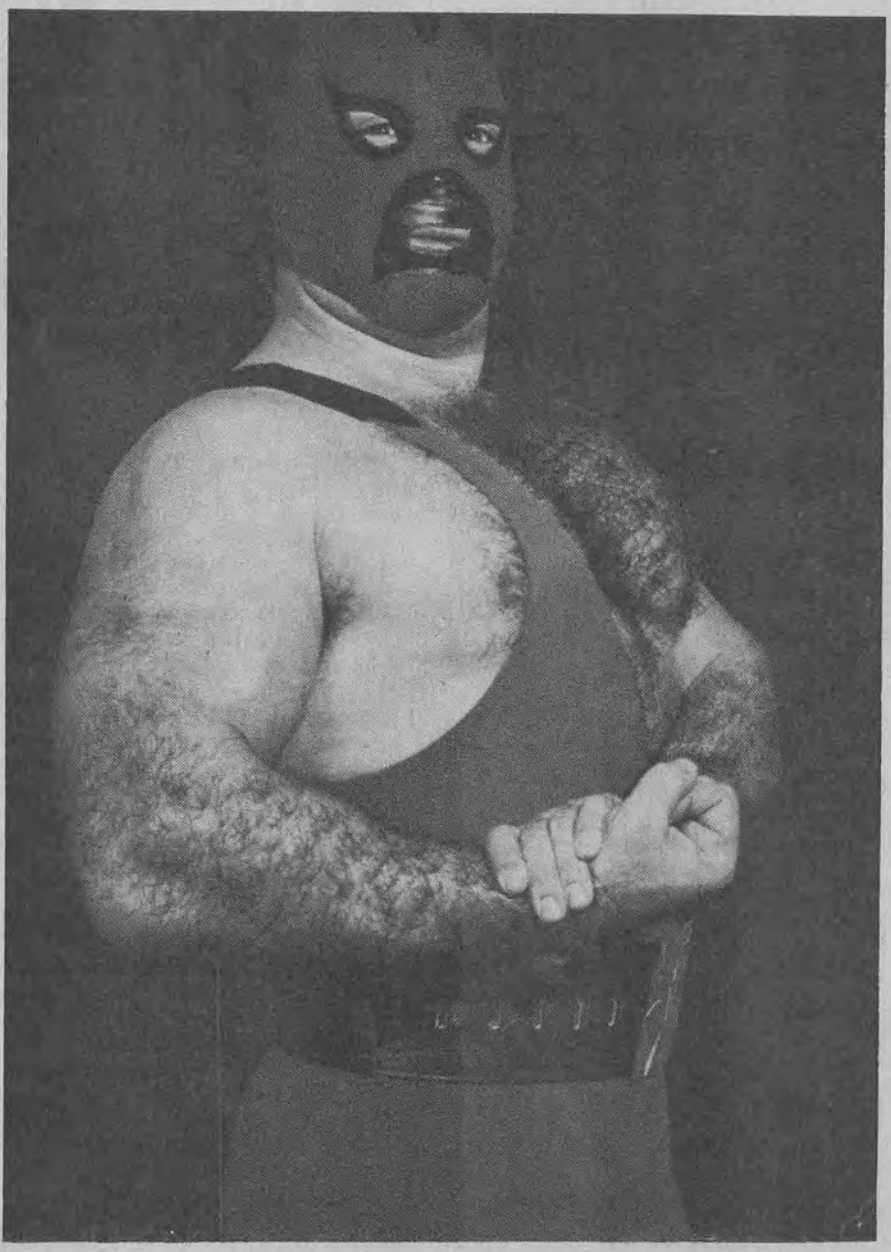
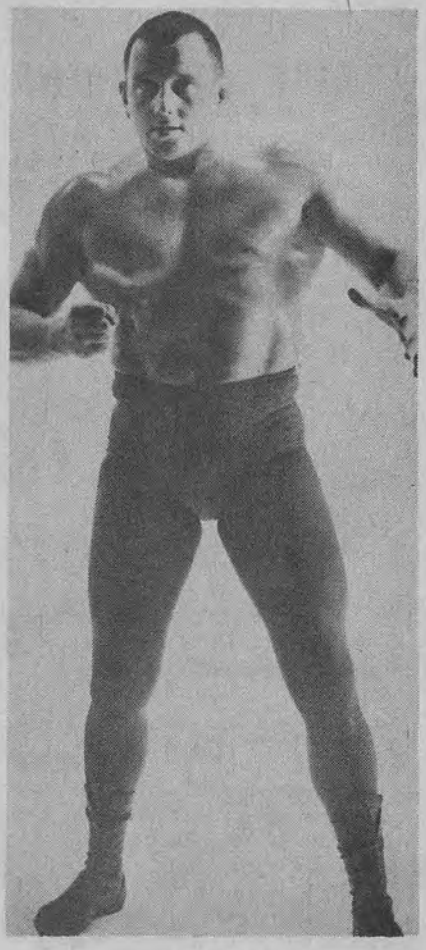


Der Henker is just as tough as his name implies and one of the meanest men in the game today...

Der Henker Hanging Heavy on Gallic Foes

by MICHEL BESY



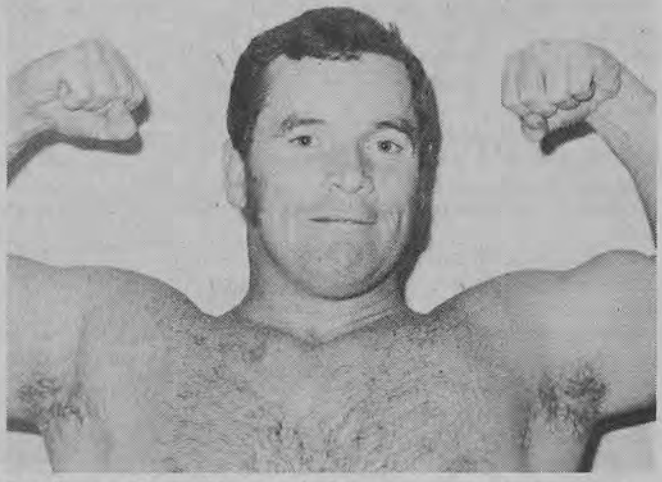
Der Henker means "Red Executioner" and believe me, he bags the prize for unpopularity. There is no doubt that the crown should be awarded automatically to this terrible gladiator. This wrestler, with his mask, his boots and his red cowl is the terror of the rings; his natural violence, his brutal and exceptional force make him a wrestler outside the ordinary. His biceps are so big that no superlative can describe them. His victims fall one after the other at the rate of THREE to FOUR a week and we wonder who on earth can stop this man clad in purple. When he fights, he is indescribably savage, he wrestles without any respect for the conventions, he strikes and hammers, he rages and nothing so far has been able to stop this Herculean mass. The first Der Henker in France was the German, Johnny Stein, who is now continuing his career in the U.S.A. under the pseudonym of Von Stroheim. When Johnny left for America, the seductive and handsome colossus, Freddy Robert, took his place and took to wearing a cowl to become a ruthless and savage destroyer. Since then Freddy has become the manager of a Zoo . . . After an eclipse lasting some years, Der

Remy Bayle is one of the outstanding international wrestlers in the heavyweight division.

Two of the more colorful tag teams in world wrestling are Moscito Blanco and Kandar Kalamar.

Henker has returned and it is rather like the return of "Zorro", but our new Der Henker has nothing of a fat hulk, he is remarkably well-built and we know that he gained his sculptural body through physical training and weight-lifting for many years. At a very young age, he became a professional wrestler under the management of Robert Lageat and through strength and hard work, he has become a "real professional" wrestler . . é He is married and has two children and travels throughout Europe, gaining his living comfortably. We are going to remove the veil of this phenomenon in wrestling and introduce you to REMY BAYLE since this is who it is. Remy was, in his time, the youngest all-in wrestler in France together with Jacky Corn. Moreover, they began together in the ring at Besançon in October, 1955. At that time, Remy was only a middleweight and before becoming the solid heavy-weight that he is today, he was for a long time, the famous "Justiciary of the Ring" and from 1960 to 1965, he wrestled wearing a white hood and his fights against Kamikaze I and Kamikaze II are still engraved on the memory of everyone . . . Der Henker has a total of more than 300 victories to his credit and he is the great, the very great champion that we know . . . A great team in all-in wrestling with four wrestlers is causing a revolution in the French rings. This is the famous pair composed of Michel Di Santo and Jean Pierre Langlade. They have more than ten consecutive victories and these have all been well-deserved. These two "good-looking kids" are causing havoc and are carrying out great exploits so that they are at the top of the classification of the light heavyweights . . . Pierre Leduc, the young and great hope from Bordeaux also wrestles wearing a mask under the name of "The White Mosquito". He is accompanied by his Second, "KANDAR KALAMAR", who is none other than the wrestler, Pierre Galli, who also wrestles under the name of the great El Gitano. Blanche Brown is on the point of leaving France for a tour of Japan. During her trip, she would like to stop over in the U.S.A. and to be able to fight in a few matches against the American women champions. She has just beaten the violent Mildred Van Lloyds at a Super-Gala performance in a terrible fight which thrilled wrestling fans.

Two of the best Italian wrestlers in the game today are Jean Pierre Langiade and Michel Di Santo.



Pat Barret flexes his muscled in an authoritive manner.

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THE NEW ZEALAND SCENE

Yankee Mat Stars Delight Kiwi Fans

by DAVE CAMERON

American wrestlers are currently proving big attractions in New Zealand rings and giving our own boys the opportunity to improve. This season we have seen Guy Mitchell, Jim Wilson, Don Carson, Dick Dunn, Mario Milano, Billy White Wolf, Mark Lewin, Spiros Arion, Big Bad John and Waldo Von Eric.

The fans here go for the Americans in a big way, thanks mainly to the TV boradcasts from Australia where the leading Americans work for American promoter James Barnett.

Probably our greatest ever would be Big John Da Silva, an ex-Olympian and much-travelled pro. John has grappled in most countries including the U.S.A., Canada, India, Europe, Japan, Singapore. He's trained with the leading Turkish grapplers in their own native style.

John is our leading challenger to meet the world's champion. Over the years we've seen several world champions in New Zealand, but none have actually held the title when they were here. George Hackenschmidt was the first to show here. He was followed by Stanislaus Zbyszco, then Ed Don George, Strangler Lewis, Ray Steele, Dave Levin, Jim Londos and finally Pat O'Connor.

This year should see a reigning champion in New Zealand and our first ever title bout.

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Steve Rickard is another topliner with a wealth of experience. He will be seeking a title shot. He's just flown in from his yearly trip to Japan and Singapore. He's also wrestled in the States and in Canada.

Big Robert Bruce, the giant 6'6" Scot, has now settled here. He's in fine shape after a tour of Japan and Australia. Robert hopes to leave for Texas in the near future. He should be a big draw in the States.

Frank Lipanovich, former Yugoslav top amateur, is in fine fettle and works a lot. Irish Pat Barrett, now living in New Zealand, has business interests in Christchurch. He's back from a record-breaking tour of Aus-

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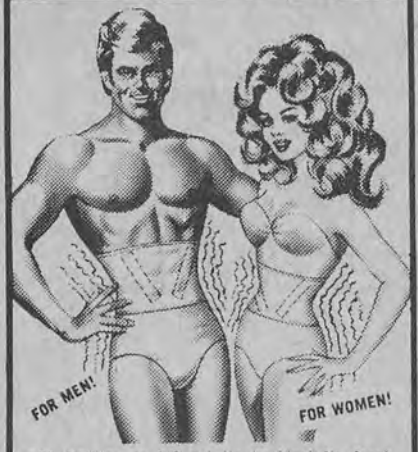

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tralia and Hong Kong. He's a colorful and entertaining grappler.

Clem Lakis, from Greece, also lives in N.Z. He's in big demand. He was discovered by Kid George Bollas in Western Australia. He's come a long way since that day.

Onno Boelee, the giant Dutch judo champ, looks set to become a champion wrestler too. He has the strength of two lions and is rapidly learning the intricate moves and counters of professional wrestling.

"Kiwi" Johnny Frazer learned his wrestling Way Down East while serving in the Air Force. He's tackled all the top men in Pakistan and Singapore. Tough and rugged, Bronco Bruce Barnes now faces a month's suspension for inciting an Auckland riot. The Bronc will be a threat in any elimination series.

Taw Paa Paa and Alan Wendt, our Samoan tag champs, are two more

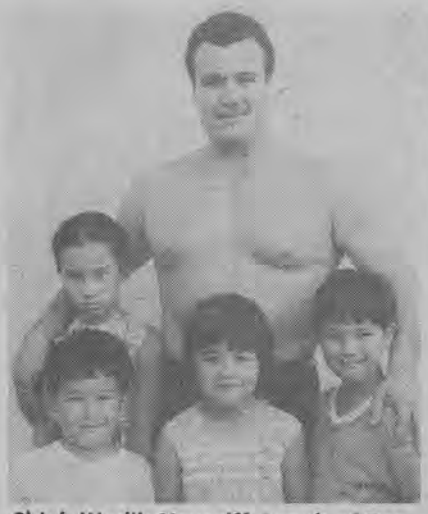
Johnny Garcia is another Kiwi grappler who is on the rise in spectacular fashion.

Slim and trim seems to be the perfect way to describe Blanche Brown.

Two of the toughest tag team wrestlers in the United States are Dick Dunn and Don Garson.

One of the outstanding wrestlers in New Zealand is the hard-hitting heavyweight John Da Silva.

A lovely addition to the distaff side of wrestling is Erika Keller.



Shiek Wadih Youselff Ayoub of Beruit, Lebanon is justifiably proud father as he poses here with his good looking children.

Bearded Frank Lipanovich is the undisputed heavy-weight champion of New Zealand.

heavies with overseas experience. They provide nonstop action from bell to bell and they possess the speed of lightweights.

Lebanese Sheik Wadih Ayoub lives in Sydney and will show here shortly. He has a superb body and spends hours every day in the gym. He's been packing them in for Jim Barnett in Australia.

Larry O'Day and Ron Miller, the Australian tag champions, are popular here and due back any day.

Young Johnny Garcia should be seen soon in American rings. He's a promising lad with lots of color, ability and strength. Barry Drage also hopes to go on the road soon.

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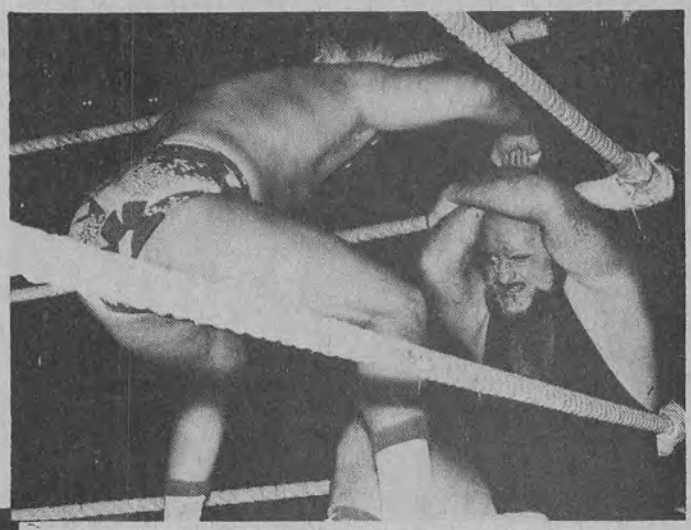
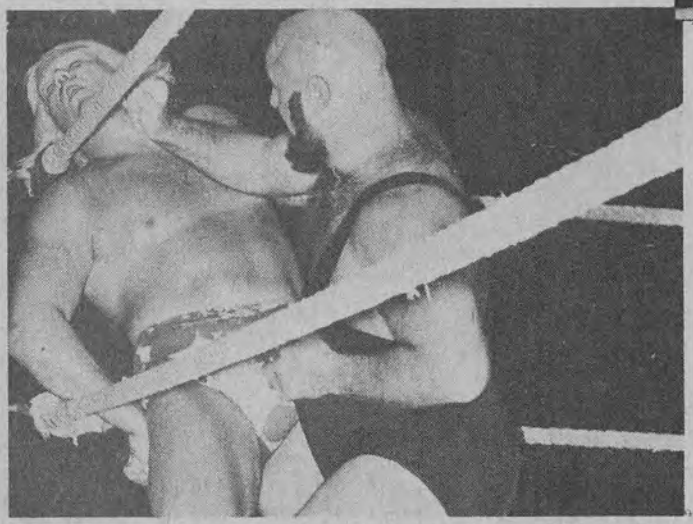


Vachon is down but Roberts continues to land punches.



Mad Dog goes to work on Roberts, having trapped him in his own corner.

ROBERTS AND VACHON USE FISTS ONLY IN TURNING STADIUM INTO FRENZIED PUNCH BOWL

George Foreman, Muhammad Ali and Joe Frazier have nothing to worry about, but not so long ago Dale Roberts and Maurice "Mad Dog" Vachon thought they were boxers.

Actually these top line wrestlers decided to settle their differences with their fists because in many of their previous encounters either Roberts or Vachon wound up being disqualified because of their illegal punching tactics.

In this novelty match, all holds were barred and both men had only their punching prowess to rely on over ten three-minute rounds.

Obviously this type of ring warfare captured the imagination of the sporting public because 10,000 fans turned out a sweltering summer night to boo their favorite villain.

Vachon got off to a fast start and was reminiscent of Rocky Marciano with his flailing short arms. But it was to the French-Canadian's credit that he was on target with most of his punches.

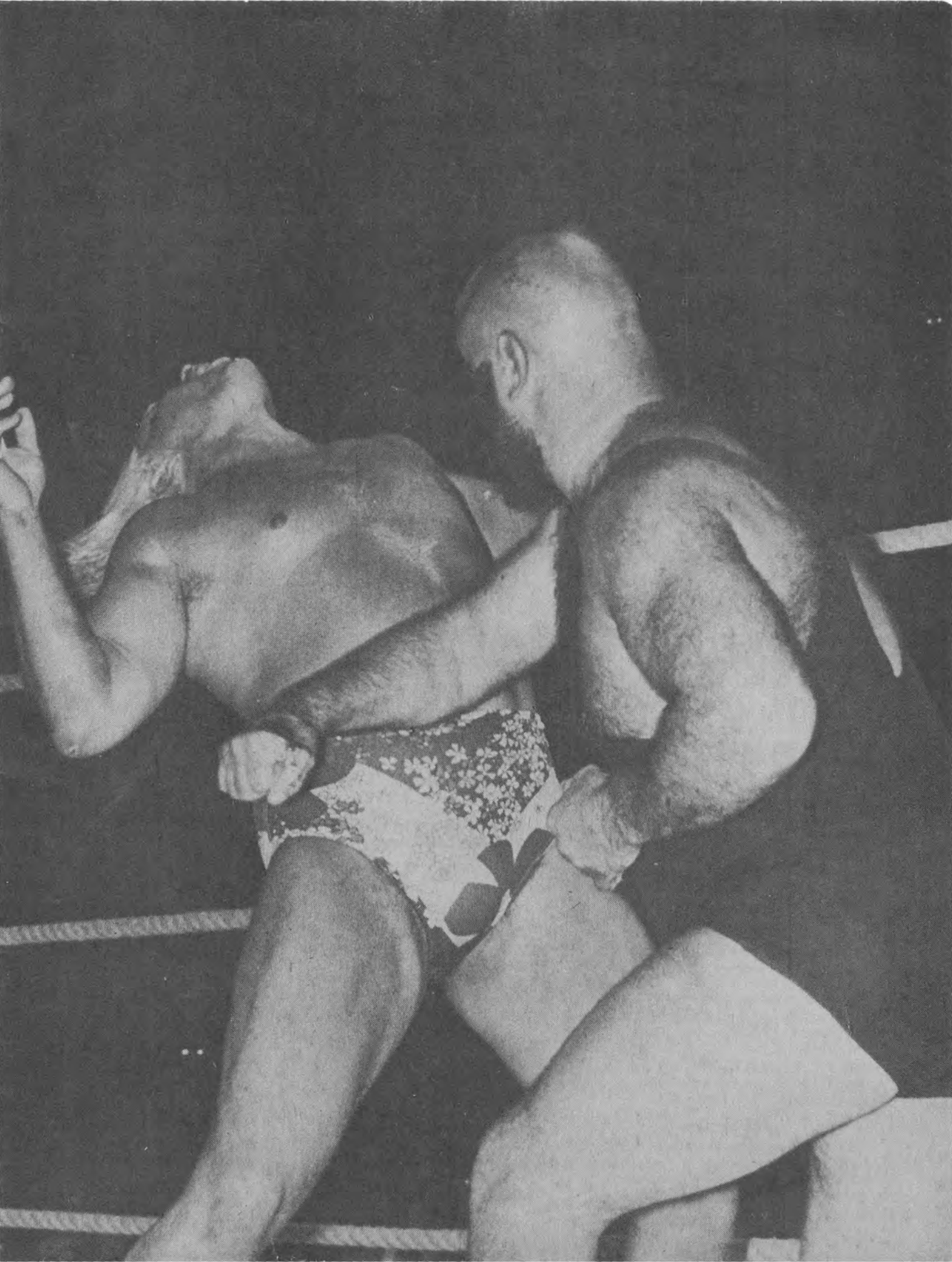
Mad Dog bloodied Roberts' mouth early in the match and repeatedly rocked him with overhand rights.

Despite his irritating ring mannerisms, Roberts proved to be a formidable foe. He was never knocked off his feet at any time during the match.

Like a leaf from Joe Frazier's notebook, Roberts was a slow starter but once the west coast muscleman found the range Vachon was in for a rough night.

Roberts cut Vachon's right eye in the seventh round and knocked him down with a left-right combination.

Dale won the eighth round from bell to bell and finally gained complete satisfaction by dropping Maurice at mid-ring with a right uppercut.



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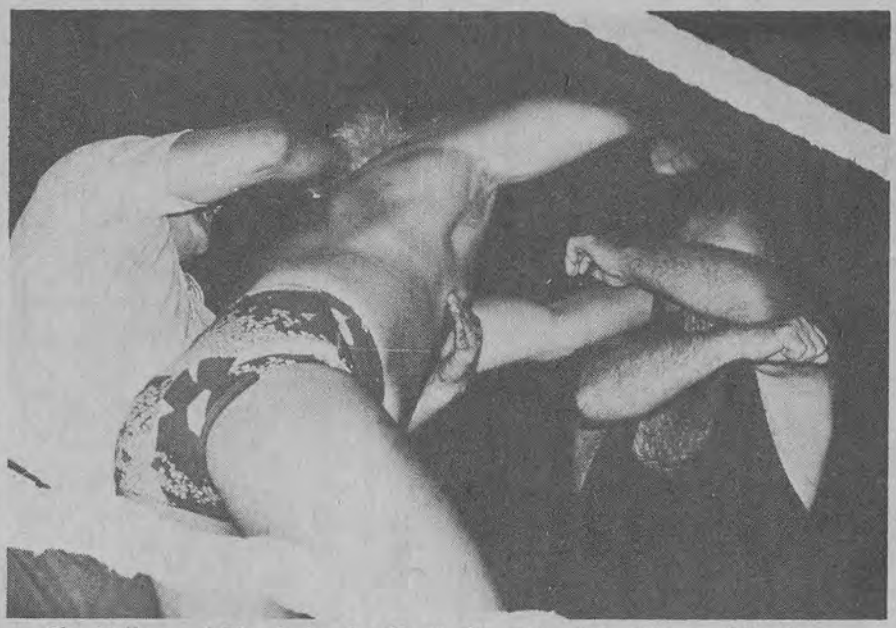


The Hollywood Blonde lands effectively with a left-right combination.

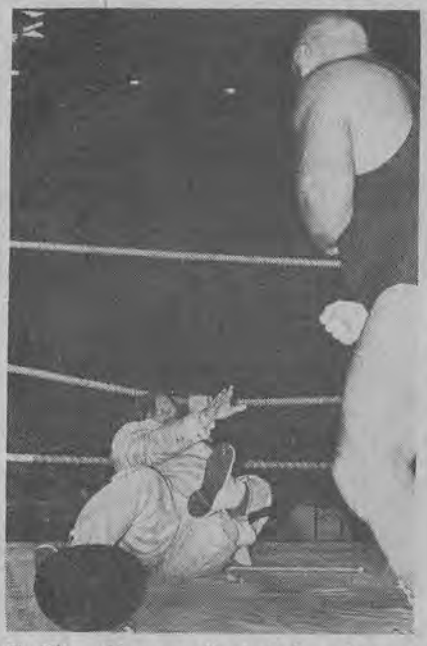
ALL HOLDS BARRED AS MAT MEN MAKE LIKE BOXERS

Vachon was sitting upright when the referee tolled "ten" but there was no way he could beat the count.

The match wasn't a complete disaster for Vachon. Sir Oliver Humperdinck, the pseudo Englishman who manages Roberts and Jerry Brown, protested Vachon's tactics in the sixth round, claiming Mad Dog was hitting below the belt.

Humperdinck got carried away to the point of jumping into the ring to get the referee's attention. Vachon landed a haymaker right on the button and they had to carry Sir Oliver out.

Mad Dog moves in on Roberts, who seems to be begging for mercy.



Sir Oliver Humperdinck, Roberts' manager, is the worse for wear when he gets into the ring.

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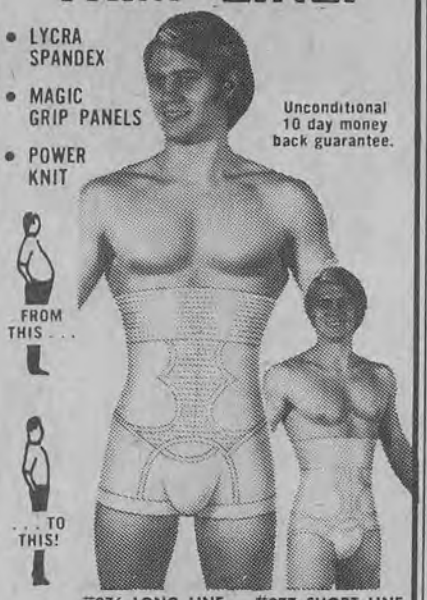

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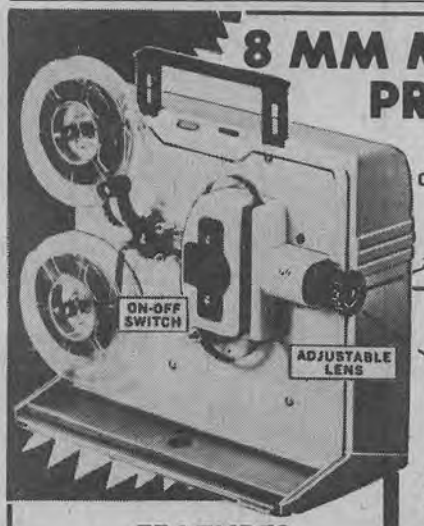

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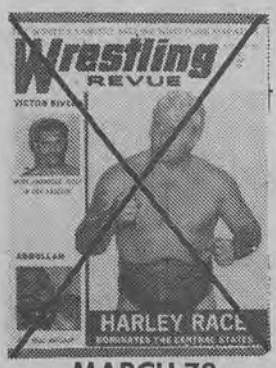

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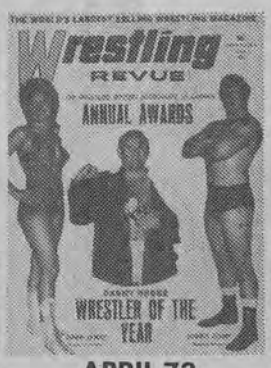

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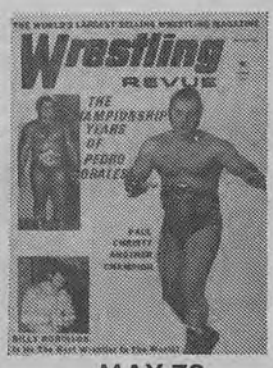

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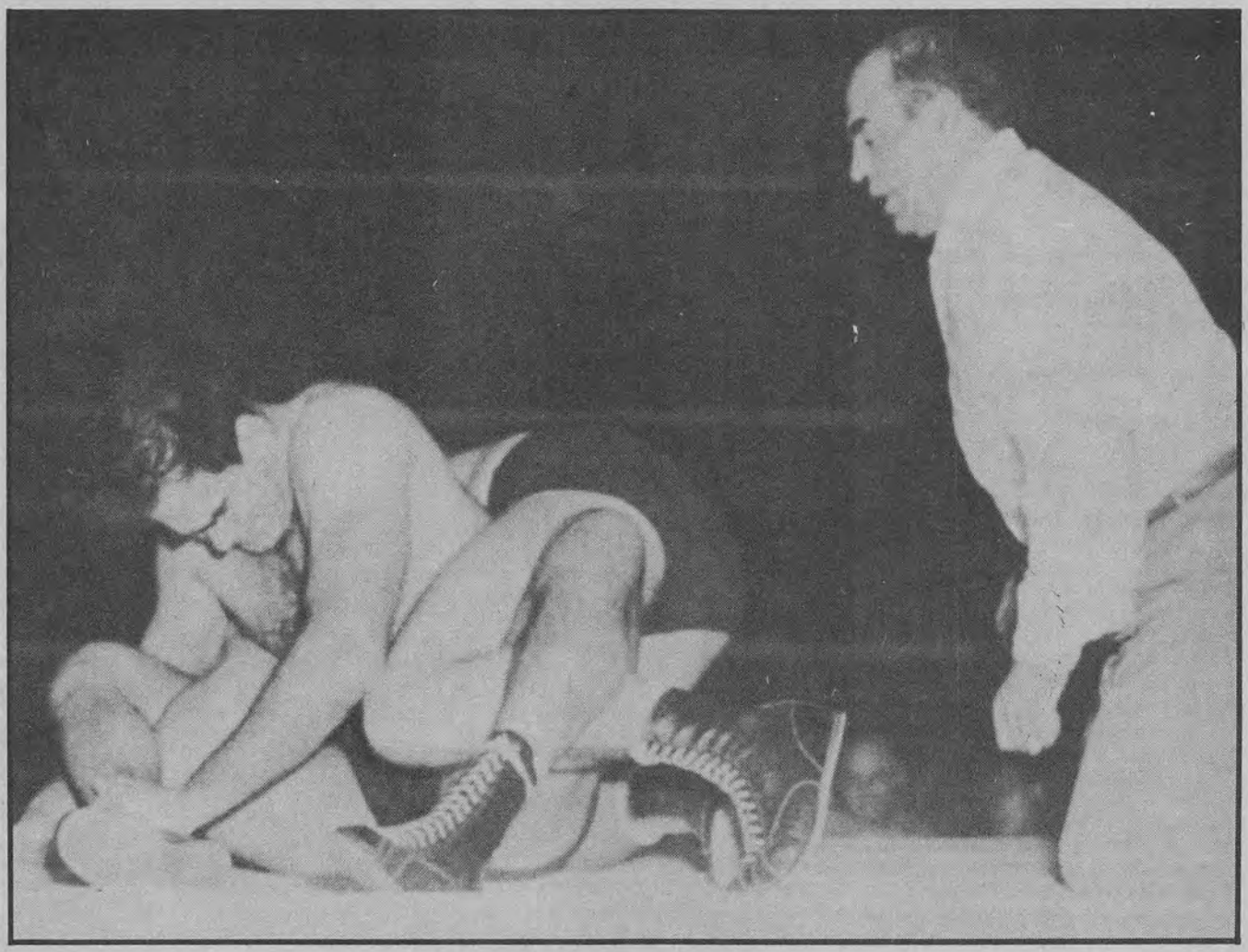

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where is he today?

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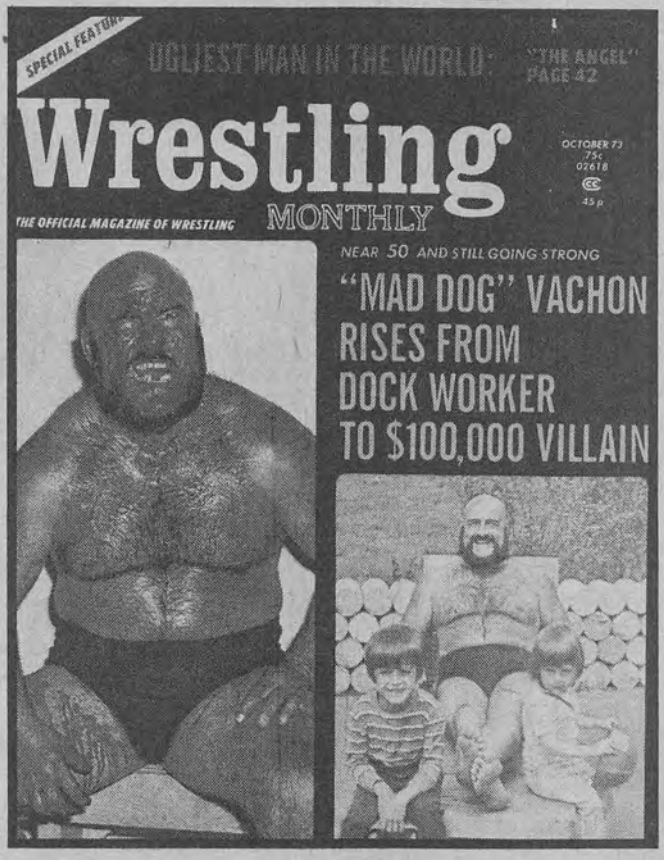

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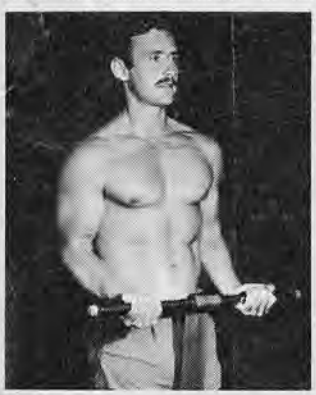

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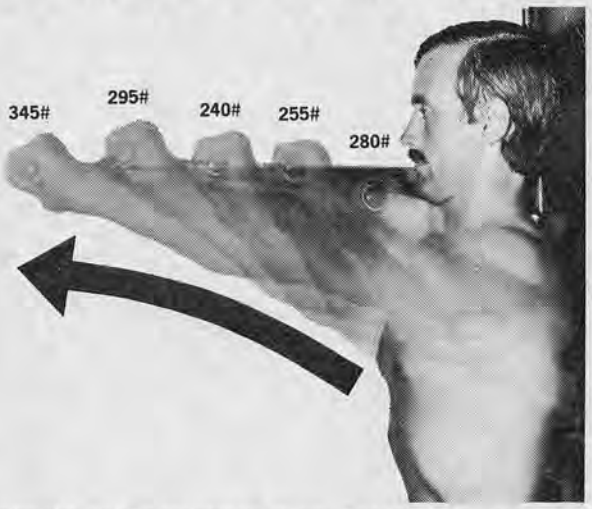

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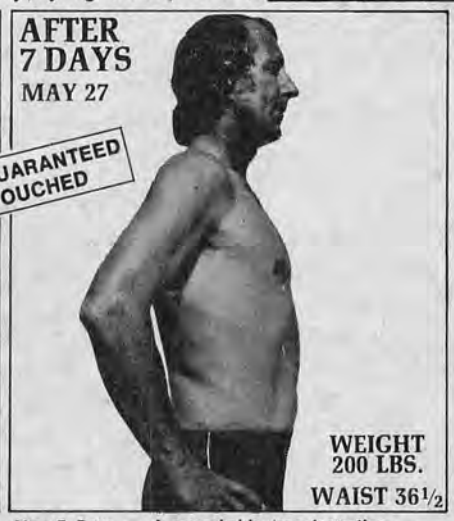

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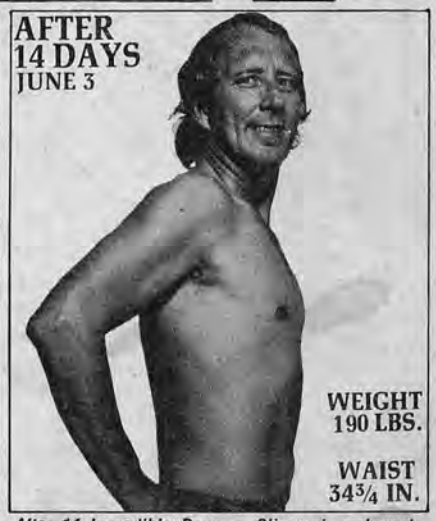

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